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HIS DESCENDANTS

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A SHORT HISTORICAL NARRATIVE OF NINIAN STEELE AND HIS DESCENDANTS, WITH GENEALOGICAL TABLES SHOWING THE PROPER PLACE IN THE FAMILY OF EVERY MEMBER OF IT WHOSE NAME COULD BE LEARNED.

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PREFACE.

Several years ago, while doing some other genealogical work, I made many inquiries regarding my maternal ancestry. The information thus gained I laid away until recently, when I began to think seriously of putting it into book form for the benefit of others.

I sent out a circular letter stating my thoughts on the subject, and in a short time enough subscriptions were secured to justify me in going on with the work.

I have made great efforts to get exact and detailed data, that this book might be complete and correct, and I felicitate myself that my efforts have been remarkably successful.

I did my best to induce subscribers to furnish pictures of themselves and families for the book, and I am sorry so few have entered the family picture gallery. There will be many regrets that no more pictures were put in.

There is not much of the book, but it contains the net results of my investigations along our ancestral and family lines. Those who read it will never realize the amount of time and labor required to collect and arrange for publication the material found in this little book. I hope it has not all been in vain, but that the little volume may be a source of interest, pleasure and profit for generations to come.

Fraternally,

NEWTON CHAMBERS STEELE.

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Introductory Remarks.

We American people have been very careless about genealogical matters until the last thirty to fifty years. People of all new countries are so occupied with the work of establishing government, commerce and agriculture that they do not have time to give much attention to history, especially genealogical history. Then there is the sense of independence coupled with a restive and anxious, yet hopeful, looking forward to the future, that tends to make the settlers and builders of a new country ignore, and almost scorn, the past.

In recent years there has developed in America great interest and activity in genealogy. People are asking, Who am I? and whence came I? All over our country individuals and families are engaged in tracing their ancestral lines back as far as possible.

Several years ago I began to hunt up the genealogy of my own family, which up to that time had been almost wholly neglected. I am what may be called a double Steele, both my father and mother having been Steeles. As to the name, some Steele families omit the final "e." The most of them use it. Sometimes the final "e" has been omitted for generations and then restored. The name is the same with or without it. It is said that the name Steele is of Scotch origin, and hence that all Steeles have Scotch blood in them. Of this I am not certain, but it is probably true.

Scotland and Ireland are so close together that for perhaps three thousand years there has been more or less intimacy between their people. There has been constant migrating from one country to the other. Inter-marriages have been numerous, and this has produced the so-called Scotch-Irish people of which we hear so much. However, this term is probably most usually applied to the mixing of the Scotch and Irish in the last three or four hundred years. Some apply the term to pure Scotch, who first came from Scotland and settled in Ireland, and later came to America without inter-marrying with the Irish at all.

During the sixteenth and seventeenth centuries considerable numbers of people emigrated from Scotland to Ireland

to escape oppression of various kinds, mostly religious persecution. These settled largely in the Eastern and Northern parts of Ireland. Many of them inter-married with the best element of the native Irish people. Because of exhorbitant taxation and religious persecution and oppressions in Ireland many thousand of the Scotch-Irish Presbyterians finally left Ireland and came to the American colonies seeking more freedom and religious toleration. At first they settled largely in Pennsylvania and Virginia, but later many families migrated to North and South Carolina. Most of the Steeles of America are Scotch-Irish, and most of these, as distinct families, came directly from Ireland. Some came from England and other European countries, but I think the most of them claim Scotland as their ancestral home.

During my genealogical researches I have corresponded with persons in about twenty states and in Ireland. I think I have collected about all of the historical data concerning my Steele ancestors that can be discovered. A few years ago much valuable material now lost might have been secured. The gathering of the historical and genealogical material contained in this book has been an arduous task, but I have been greatly interested in the work and count it a "labor of love." It is not my aim or expectation to make one dollar by the sale of this book. It is a contribution to systematic genealogy. Many friends have very kindly assisted me in gathering data, to all of whom I hereby return thanks. I would like to mention some of them, but I do not wish to seem partial.

EXPLANATION AND INFORMATION.

In a book containing the genealogy of a large family connection, the great majority of the persons can be mentioned by name only. It would require a large and costly volume to do otherwise. Books of this kind necessarily have a very limited sale, and a large book would cost several dollars each. Each picture and special pen sketch in this book has been paid for by some one, and have not added to the price of the book to those who simply buy the book. All pictures are of persons mentioned in the book. As a rule I have used the full legal form of a name instead of the family pet or abbreviated name. For instance, I have written "Martha" instead of "Mat" or "Mattie," "Margaret" instead of

"Peggy," or "Maggie," "Susan" instead of "Sue" or "Susie," "Mary" instead of "Polly" or "Mollie," "Eudora" instead of "Dora," "Sarah" instead of "Sallie," "Elizabeth" instead of "Bessie," "Bettie," or "Lizzie."

In this book a name in parenthesis usually means a woman's maiden surname. For instance: If John Jones married Miss Mary Steele, their names after marriage would probably be written John and Mary (Steele) Jones, or John Jones and Mary (Steele) Jones.

In the genealogical tables "b" stands for "born," "m" for "married," and "d" for "died."

Every name in the war chapter can be found in its proper place in the body of the book in the "family" mentioned after the name in the war chapter.

"Tradition," which is often used, means handed down orally, that is, from mouth to ear and not by written record. Of course there sometimes has been a record made of oral tradition.

In a work like this, it is practically impossible to avoid all errors. Be charitable about them. I used the names, dates and other information furnished me by others. Of course there will be errors in names and dates, and it may be your name or the date of your birth or marriage that I have gotten wrong. It may all be my fault, but it is possible that it is yours. I discovered and corrected many errors in the names and dates that were sent me. I believe the genealogy is the most complete one of its size ever published. I have given an exact account of every descendant of Captain Ninian Steele except, possibly, the immediate family of one man. (See Family 39.)

HOW TO FIND YOUR NAME OR TRACE YOUR FAMILY.

Examine the Index first; that may help you. If you don't find your name there look for the name of some prominent person closely related to you. Find that person and you can find your own name easily. If you know through which of the children of Ninian Steele, the First, you have descended, turn to Family No. 1 and trace out your line. The words "see family" after any name points forward to that person's own family. The words "see family" after the regular family number at the beginning of each family point back to the origin of that new family. A few moment's study will make it all plain to you.

HISTORICAL SKETCH.

CAPTAIN NINIAN STEELE

AND HIS

DESCENDANTS.

In a previous book, "Archibald Steele and His Descendants," I gave the genealogy of my paternal family "lines." In this volume I shall deal mostly with my maternal ancestry.

It so happens that this, too, is a "Steele line," but the two lines do not spring from the same ancestor, so far as I have been able to ascertain.

Ninian Steele, my mother's grandfather, was born 24th December, 1738. I am not sure where he was born, but I think it was in Ireland. It is certain that he or his father came from Ireland to America. My opinion, after hearing all available evidence, is that, when quite small, he came from Ireland with his father and settled in Chester county, Pa. One old record says he was a native of that county. He grew to manhood there and removed to Iredell county, N. C., before the Revolutionary war, in which he was a patriot soldier. (See War chapter.)

On the 15th March, 1770, he married Miss Elizabeth Chambers, who was born 6th March, 1748. She was a daughter of Henry and Jane (Futhy) Chambers, of Lancaster (possibly Chester) county, Pa. Henry Chambers was born 13th July, 1708, and his wife in 1715. They were married 14th November, 1735. Henry Chambers and family moved to Iredell county, N. C., about 1754, where he died 26th October, 1783, and she 25th June, 1781.

Miss Anna Steele, who is eighty years old, now living at Hico, Texas, and who is a great-granddaughter of Henry Chambers, says that the latter's wife's maiden name was Jane Futhy.

Ninian Steele probably first met his future wife in Iredell county, N. C., where he and the Chambers family settled after moving from Pennsylvania.

It is not certainly known what Ninian Steele's father's

given name was, but I think from the slight evidence I have found that it was Samuel, and that he had two brothers in North Carolina named Samuel and Robert, respectively.

"Ninian" is an old Scotch name, dating back to or beyond the sixth century. It was the name of a celebrated Christian missionary to the Picts and Scots of Scotland. It was often pronounced Nǐnian, and now it is sometimes spelled as thus pronounced.

Ninian Steele's mother was a Futhy, and Miss Anna Steele above mentioned says that she was a sister of the wife of Henry Chambers, thus making Ninian Steele and his wife first cousins. It is possible that she has confused Henry Chambers with his son, Henry Chambers, Jr.

Ninian Steele was a man of more than ordinary influence and enterprise in his community. It is positively claimed by his descendants in Iredell county, N. C., that he built and operated the first cotton gin ever known in that state. He built it after reading in a letter a description of the Whitney gin invented in 1793. It was situated on a fork of Fifth Creek near his home, ten miles from Statesville, and was run by water power. Parts of that first gin still exist.

Ninian Steele was known in his county as a "peace-maker." Tradition has it that he sometimes actually paid the amount of money in dispute between neighbors in order to stop a neighborhood broil. While he did not hesitate, as we believe, to act the soldier in war, he was emphatically a man of peace in times of peace. This was certainly an excellent trait of character—a noble heritage to leave his children.

It is much to be regretted that we know so little about him of whose character we have these few glimpses.

He died on 30th December, 1813; his wife having died 26th January, 1819. Both were buried in Statesville, Iredell county, N. C. (For further remarks see War chapter.)

GENEALOGICAL HISTORY.

THE GENEALOGICAL TABLES OF THE DESCENDANTS OF CAPT. NINIAN STEELE.

1 Captain Ninian Steele was b. 24th Dec. 1738; d. 30th Dec. 1813. He m. 15th March, 1770, Miss Elizabeth Chambers, who was b. 6th March, 1748, and d. 26th Jan., 1810. Both died near Statesville, N. C., in which both are buried. See Historical Sketch.

FAMILY 1.

Children of Ninian Steele and Elizabeth (Chambers) Steele.

2 (1) Jane (See Family 2) b. 9th Jan., 1771; d. 6th July, 1857; m. Hugh Robison, —— 1790. He b. 17th Nov., 1759. Four children.

3 (2) Samuel, b. 26th July, 1772; d. 22d April, 1780.

4 (3) Henry, (See Family 14), b. 14th Dec., 1774; d. 1st June, 1853 in Iredell Co., N. C. Married, First, Susanna Mitchell, 1st April, 1800; she d. 9th July, 1805. Two children. Second, m. 11th Nov., 1806, to Lillis Murdock. She b. 23d July, 1769; d. 24th June, 1851. Four children.

5 (4) Joseph (See Family 57), b. 1st Dec., 1776; d. 9th June, 1851; m. twice. First, Elizabeth Harbison, in N. C., 13th Jan., 1803; she b. 14th Feb. 1780, d. —— ———. Seven children. Second wife, Sarah Urquhart, 4th Dec. 1817, in Alabama. She b. 15th July, 1785, d. 11th Sept., 1845. Two children.

6 (5) Anna, b. 25th Oct., 1778. Nothing more known of her.

7 (6) Ninian, b. 22d Dec., 1780; d. Oct. 1842 in Tuscaloosa Co., Ala., m. a Miss Mary Robison. No children.

8 (7) Elizabeth, b. 1st Dec., 1782, m. a Mr. John Galloway. No children.

9 (8) Robert, b. 20th Dec., 1784, d. 12th Sept., 1799.

10 (9) James (See Family 135) b. 20th Dec., 1786, d. 14th Nov., 1872, in White Co., Ark.; m. Miss Jane Campbell, —— 1810. She b. 28th Dec., 1790, d. 20th Jan., 1877. Nine children.

11 (10) Samuel Futhy (See Family 175), b. 20th Feb., 1789; d. 13th Aug., 1827 in —— West Tennessee. Married twice. First wife, Nancy Melissa Carson, 16th Jan., 1812. She b. 25th May, 1792, d. 27th Feb., 1818. Two children. Second wife, 3d Dec., 1818, Mary Gracy, she b. 17th July, 1797, d. 23d Jan., 1876. Four children.

FAMILY AND DESCENDANTS OF JANE, THE ELDEST CHILD OF CAPT. NINIAN STEELE.

FAMILY 2—See Family 1.

Children of Jane Steele and Hugh Robison, both of whom lived and died in Iredell County, N. C.

12 (1) Elizabeth (Betsy), b. 27th Aug., 1791, d. 5th Nov., 1867; m. Joseph Woods. No children.

13 (2) Ann, b. 11th July, 1795, d. 1st April, 1816; never married.

14 (3) George Steele (See Family 3), b. 18th June, 1797, d. 1st Sept., 1875; m. twice. First to Nancy Cowan, she b. —— 1793, d. 16th Feb., 1832. Three children. Second to Elizabeth Cowan, she b. 18th Jan., 1809, d. 2d March, 1874. No children.

15 (4) Hugh, Jr (See Family 11), b. 16th April, 1801, d. 1st April, 1841; m. Miss Sarah Ann Brown, 2d Sept., 1839, she b. 10th May, 1816. Two children.

FAMILY 3—See Family 2.

Children of George Steele Robison and Nancy (Cowan) Robison.

16 (1) Jane, died young.

17 (2) William Cowan (See Family 4), b. 16th May, 1829;

d. 10th Dec., 1864; m. Matilda Rickart 7th Oct. 1852; she b. 21st May, 1830, d. 7th Sept., 1876. Six children.

18 (3) Ninian Alexander (See Family 9), b. 14th Feb., 1832, d. 17th Sept., 1873; m. 25th Feb., 1858, Catherine Malinda White, in Iredell county, N. C.; she b. 25th Aug. 1840. Three children.

FAMILY 4—See Family 3.

Children of William Cowan Robison and Matilda (Rickart) Robison, both of whom lived and died in Iredell Co., N. C.

19 (1) Roxanna Elizabeth (See Family 5), b. 4th July, 1854, d. 27th May, 1887: m. George Wilson McNeely, 6th Jan., 1876; he b. 23d May, 1850. Five children.

20 (2) Lillie Kiturah, b. 26th Aug., 1855. Unmarried.

21 (3) Julia Octavia (See Family 6), b. 16th Jan., 1857, m. James A. Bass, 13th Oct., 1881; he b. 9th May, 1858. Six children.

22 (4) Allison Crawford (See Family 7), b. 15th Aug., 1858, m. Julia Ann Moore, 5th May, 1892, she b. 1st Jan., 1865, d. 24th June, 1899. Three children.

23 (5) Margaret Emma (See Family 8), b. 27th Jan., 1860, m. Hiram Thomas Williams, 13th Nov. 1894. One child.

24 (6) Mary Isabella, b. 11th June, 1861. Unmarried.

FAMILY 5—See Family 4.

Chilbren of Roxanna Elizabeth Robison and George Wilson McNeely.

(Amity, N. C.)

25 (1) William Alexander, b. 3rd Feb., 1877.

26 (2) Chalmers Theodore, b. 3rd Nov., 1878.

27 (3) Lillie May, b. 10th May, 1880.

28 (4) Thomas Dwight, b. 30th Jan., 1883.

29 (5) John Wilson, b. 9th May, 1884.

FAMILY 6—See Family 4.

Children of Julia Octavia Robison and James A. Bass.

(Fancy Hill, N. C.)

30 (1) William Clyde, b. 10th Nov., 1882; d. 9th June, 1886.

31 (2) Russie Lee, b. 2nd May, 1884.

32 (3) Ethel May, b. 26th April, 1886.

33 (4) Ralph Erskin, b. 11th Oct., 1887.

34 (5) Marie, b. 24th Oct., 1892.

35 (6) Clifton Alexander, b. 5th Sept., 1897.

FAMILY 7—See Family 4.

Children of Allison Crawford Robison and Julia Ann (Moore) Robison.

(Amity, N. C.)

36 (1) Ava Lula, b. 5th Feb., 1893.

37 (2) Margaret (Maggie) Irene, b. 29th Sept., 1894.

38 (3) Lillie Blanche, b. 5th Jan., 1897; d. 1st June, 1898.

FAMILY 8—See Family 4.

Children of Margaret Emma Robison and Hiram Thomas Williams.

39 (1) Cyrus Troy, b. 2nd Oct., 1895.

FAMILY 9—See Family 3.

Children of Ninian Alexander Robison and Catherine Malinda (White) Robison.

They moved from North Carolina to Hillsboro, Ill., in 1866, where he died. She lives in St. Louis, Mo.

40 (1) Jay Alexander (See Family 10), b. 16 May, 1859; m. Hattie Leucretia Black 15th June, 1881; she b. 23rd Oct., 1899. Four children.

41 (2) Sarah Jane Florence, b. 22nd April, 1861; d. 11th Oct., 1870.

42 (3) Mabel Illinois, b. 9th Nov., 1871.

FAMILY 10—See Family 9.

Children of Jay Alexander Robison and Hattie Leucretia (Black) Robison.

(Centralia, Ill.)

43 (1) Charles Alexander, b. 12th Aug., 1883.

44 (2) Frank Houston, b. 13th Feb., 1886.

45 (3) Robert Leland, b. 20th April, 1888.

46 (4) Leola Fay, b. 23rd May, 1892.

47 (5) Marion Carmen, b. 30th Sept., 1901.

FAMILY 11—See Family 2.

Children of Hugh Robison, Jr. and Sarah Ann (Brown) Robison.

48 (1) James Franklin (See Family 12) b. 24th Nov., 1840; m. Anna Barger, 6th April 1868; she b. 15th June 1839. Seven children.

49 (2) Joseph Alexander, b. 30th May, 1842; d. 1884. Never married.

FAMILY 12—See Family 11.

Children of James Franklin Robison and Anna (Barger) Robison.

(Salisbury, N. C.)

50 (1) A daughter, b. 27th Nov. 1868; d. 19th January, 1869.

51 (2) A son, b. 25th May, 1870; d. same day.

52 (3) Eva Ada (See Family 13) b. 25th August, 1871; m. Jesse Clement Nail, 4th August, 1897; he b. 19th May, 1861. Two children.

53 (4) John Franklin, b. 1st August, 1873; m. Myrtle May Beaver, 25th Dec., 1900; she b. 1st May, 1880. (P. O. Salisbury, N. C.)

54 (5) Anna, b. 9th September 1876.

55 (6) Addie Joseleine, b. 6th June, 1879.

56 (7) Jay James, b. 11th February, 1881.

FAMILY 13.—See Family 12.

Children of Eva Ada Robison and Jesse Clement Nail.

57 (1) Margaret Anna, b. 8th July, 1898.

58 (2) John Craig, b. 19 September, 1899.

FAMILY 14. See Family 1.

FAMILY AND DESCENDANTS OF HENRY, THIRD CHILD OF CAPTAIN NINIAN STEELE.

Children of Henry Steele and his first wife, Susannah (Mitchell) Steele.

59 (1) Elizabeth Chambers (See Family 15) b. 27th Feb., 1801; d. 27th Sept., 1854; m. Lazarus Holman 16 Oct., 1823, he b. 11th August, 1799; d. 30th Dec., 1871. Seven children.

60 (2) James Andrews (See Family 39) b. 15th June, 1803; d. 28th Nov. 1883; m. Minty Waters Williamson, 8th Jan., 1833, she b. 29th April, 1806; d. 7th July, 1876. Two children.

Children of Henry Steele and his second wife, Lillis (Murdock) Steele.

61 (1) Nancy, b. 1st September, 1807; d. —— 1876. Never married.

62 (2) Captain John Mitchell (See Family 42) b. 27th June, 1809; d. 3rd August, 2896; m. Elizabeth Davinda Bell, 14th February, 1832, she b. 28th Sept., 1808; d. 14th Febrary, 1881. Three children.

63 (3) Susannah Caroline (See Family 47) b. 19th July, 1812; d. 14th Sept., 1865; m. James Hill, —— 1845, he b. 15th Nov., 1800; d. 29th Dec., 1866. Two children.

64 (4) Captain Ninian Futhy (See Family 49) b. 18 Jan., 1815; d. 12th May, 1858; m. twice: first to Mary A. Knox, 21st March, 1841, she b. 27th Dec., 1824, d. 15th Oct., 1851. Four children. Second to Mary Cecelia Holman, 21st Dec., 1852, she b. 16th Sept., 1833, d. 14th May, 1893. Two children.

Captain Ninian Futhy Steele was accidentally killed by a friend and neighbor, who mistook him for a turkey in the early dawn of the morning. Both were hunting unknown to each other, and each thought the other was a turkey calling its mate.

(Henry Steele and both his wives lived and died near Statesville, Iredell county, N. C.)

FAMILY 15—See Family 14.

Children of Elizabeth Chambers Steele and Lazarus Holman. They moved from North Carolina to Cannon county, Tenn., in 1832, and to Missouri in 1837.

65 (1) David Steele (See Family 16) b. 13th Nov., 1824, d. 6th Dec., 1890; m. Mary Sophronia James 14th Dec., 1856; she b. 6th March, 1838. Eight children.

66 (2) Henry Wilson, b. 14th Nov., 1825, d. 18th Sept., 1847.

67 (3) Mary Susannah (See Family 18) b. 9th June, 1828, d. 26th Nov., 1886; m. Thomas Jones Lovelace 20th Nov., 1851; he b. 16th Dec., 1824, d. 4th Nov., 1897. Eleven children.

68 (4) Rachel Louisa (See Family 25) b. 11th April, 1830; d. 23rd Feb., 1872; m. 20th Feb., 1850, Moses Alexander McKnight, he b. 10th April, 1825. Six children.

69 (5) Isaac Newton (See Family 31) b. 19th July, 1831; m. twice: First 2nd June, 1859, to Mary Minerva Wilson, she b. 11th Dec., 1840, d. 2nd May, 1866. Three children. Second to Caroline Virginia Moore, 2nd Oct., 1868, she b. 9th Oct., 1841. Three children.

70 (6) Margaret Jane (See Family 34) b. 8th July, 1833; m. George See Wilson 17th April, 1860, he b. 8th Feb., 1811, d. 22nd Jan., 1892. Three children.

71 (7) John James Andrews Holman (See Family 37) b. 28th June, 1835, d. 4th Dec., 1862; m. Julia Allen Turk 28th November, 1860, she b. 22nd Dec., 1841. One child.

FAMILY 16—See Family 15.

Children of David Steele Holman and Mary Sophronia (James) Holman.

(Springfield, Mo.)

72 (1) Wm. Mortimore, died in early infancy.

73 (2) Charles Walter, died in early infancy.

74 (3) Rosa Elizabeth, living.

75 (4) Lillie Sudie, living.

76 (5) Edward Bently, died in early infancy.

77 (6) Mary E., died in early infancy.

78 (7) David Elwood, b. 14th April, 1868.

79 (8) Ivy Sophronia (See Family 17) b. 31st Dec., 1872, m George Albert McCollum, he b. 6th April, 1868. One child.

FAMILY 17—See Family 16.

Children of Ivy Sophronia Holman and G. A. McCollum.

(Springfield, Mo.)

80 (1) Katherine, b. 22d June, 1896.

FAMILY 18—See Family 15.

Children of Mary Susannah Holman and Thomas Jones Lovelace.

81 (1) David Newton, b. 3rd Oct., 1852, d. 14th April, 1865.

82 (2) Sarah Elizabeth, b. 4th April, 1854; m. Richard Rector Steen 11th Dec., 1873, he b. 6th Sept., 1834. No children.

83 (3) Louisa Virginia (See Family 19) b. 14th Jan.. 1856, d. 25th July, 1896; m. Fenton Scott Moman 14th Nov., 1872. Two children.

84 (4) James Adolphus (twin of No. 3) (See Family 20) b. 14th Jan., 1856, m. Ida Leora May Pinnell 3rd June, 1884, she b. 19th May, 1861. Six children.

85 (5) Rebecca Alice, b. 7th June, 1858, d. 4th Nov. 1870.

86 (6) John Lazarus (See Family 21) b. 3rd Feb., 1860, m. Edna Blinder Walker 17th Aug., 1879, she b. 28th Sept., 1863. Six children.

87 (7) Drucilla Clementine (See Family 22) b. 19th Aug., 1861, m. John W. Isbell 6th Dec., 1877; he b. 30th Oct., 1852. Four children.

88 (8) Mary Susan, b. 28th Dec., 1864, d. 9th Aug., 1865.

89 (9) Martha Altia (See Family 23) b. 15th July, 1867, m. Lewis Davis Brim 4th Sept., 1890; he b. 15th Nov., 1866. Four children.

90 (10) Elizabeth ("Bessie") Jane (See Family 24) b. 3rd Feb., 1869, m. 22nd June, 1889, to Johnson Wofford; he b. 1st Feb., 1867. Three children.

91 (11) William Emmet, b. 27th June, 1872, d. 27th June, 1872.

FAMILY 19—See Family 18.

Children of Louisa Virginia Lovelace and Fenton Scott Moman.

(Saint Clair, Mo.)

92 (1) William Edward, b. 19th May, 1875.

93 (2) James Oliver, b. 22d Sept. 1882.

FAMILY 20—See Family 18.

Children of James Adolphus Lovelace and Ida Leora May (Pinnell) Lovelace.

(Oakland, Ark.)

94 (1) Mary, b. 20th Oct., 1885.

95 (2) Myrtle, b. 26th May, 1889.

96 (3) Bertha, b. 21st June, 1893.

97 (4) James Bernard, b. 19th July, 1894.

98 (5) Marvin Emory, b. 4th August, 1896.

99 (6) A daughter, b. and d. 18th Sept. 1898.

FAMILY 21—See Family 18.

Children of John Lazarus Lovelace and Edna Blinder (Walker) Lovelace.

(Saint James, Mo.)

100 (1) Edgar Blaine, b. 1st August, 1881.

101 (2) William Randolph, b. 27th July, 1883.

102 (3) Walter Newton, b. 28th Sept., 1985, d. 22d June, 1887.

103 (4) Ida Mabel, b. 23d, Sept. 1887.

104 (5) Minnie Lora, b. 12th Sept., 1889.

105 (6) Mary Emily, b. 15th Jan., 1893, d. 17th April, 1893.

FAMILY 22—See Family 18.

Children of Drucilla Clementine Lovelace and John W. Isbell.

(Chehalis, Wash.)

106 (1) James Vernon, b. 17th Sept., 1878.

107 (2) Ernest, b. 25th Feb., 1881.

108 (3) Nora Estelle, b. 31st May, 1883.

109 (4) Guy Raymond, b. 20th Nov. 1884.

FAMILY 23—See Family 18.

Children of Martha Altia Lovelace and Lewis Davis Brim.

(Everett, Wash.)

110 (1) Mary Elizabeth (Lizzie), b. 6th April, 1892.

111 (2) Elizabeth (Bessie) Edith, b. 30th Jan., 1894.

112 (3) John Thomas, b. 30th Dec., 1896.

113 (4) Woody James, b. 19th Jan., 1897, d. 2nd Feb., 1897.

FAMILY 24—See Family 18.

Children of Elizabeth ("Bessie") Jane Lovelace and Johnson Wofford.

(Lindell, Mo.)

114 (1) Octavius, b. 10th Sept., 1890.

115 (2) Jessa Dee, b. 17th Aug., 1892, d. 19th Feb., 1896.

116 (3) Mary Julia, b. 9th Aug., 1895.

FAMILY 25—See Family 15.

Children of Rachel Louisa Holman and Moses Alexander McKnight.

(Los Angeles, Cal.)

117 (1) Henry Montesque, b. 15th March, 1851; m. twice: First, Ella Teresa Tuck, 17th June, 1875; she b. 19th Jan., 1852, d. 17th Feb., 1898. No children. Second, to Mercie Angeline Tuck, 11th July, 1899; she b. 23rd April, 1859. No children.

118 (2) Erixene Elizabeth (See Family 26) b. 2nd Aug., 1852; m. Charles Thaddeus Pettit 16th Dec., 1868; he b. 4th Nov., 1840, in Kalamazoo, Mich. Nine children.

119 (3) Louisa Alice (See Family 28) b. 28th Dec., 1854; m. James Wilson Haggard 26th Oct., 1873; he b. 4th March, 1854. Four children.

120 (4) Laura Kate (See Family 29) b. 21st Dec., 1856; m. 21st June, 1877, Henry Nelson Wild; he b. 4th Sept., 1851. Three children.

121 (5) Mary Eliza, b. 26th Dec., 1858, d. 30th Dec., 1870.

122 (6) Charlotte Jane (See Family 30) b. 16th Aril, 1862; m. Alexander Clay Stemmons 28th Dec., 1887; he b. 27th Dec., 1859. One child.

FAMILY 26—See Family 25.
Children of Erixine Elizabeth McKnight and Charles Thaddeus Pettit.

(Olney, Texas.)

123 (1) Permelia A., b. 27th Sept., 1872, d. 10th Oct., 1874.

124 (2) Ruth Ella (See Family 27) b. 15th July, 1874; m. Prof. Joel Hamilton Horton 4th Jan., 1893; he b. 31st March, 1866. Four children.

125 (3) William Adams, b. 2nd July, 1877.

126 (4) Charles Thaddeus, Jr., b. 15th Dec., 1879.

127 (5) Elizabeth ("Lizzie") Louisa, b. 27th Feb., 1883.

128 (6) John Henry, b. 5th Oct., 1885.

129 (7) Lula Belle, b. 20th Feb., 1888, d. 5th Oct., 1895.

130 (8) Charlotte ("Lottie") Edith, b. 15th Sept., 1890.

131 (9) Karl Morgan, b. 6th March, 1897.

FAMILY 27—See Family 26.
Children of Ruth Ella Pettit and Prof. Joel Hamilton Horton.

(Ranger, Texas.)

132 (1) Orman Briggs, b. 2nd Jan., 1894.

133 (2) Lucile Pettit, b. 31st Dec., 1895.

134 (3) Joel Russell, b. 17th Sept., 1898, d. 10th Feb., 1899.

135 (4) Flora Gladys, b. 3rd Jan., 1900.

FAMILY 28—See Family 25.
Children of Louisa Alice McKnight and James Wilson Haggard.

(Sarcoxie, Mo.)

136 (1) Laura Louella, b. 5th Dec., 1874; m. 1st June, 1892, to Richard Prigmore; he b. 24th ———, 1868.

137 (2) Jesse Ernest, b. 9th May, 1879.

138 (3) Edgar Henry, b. 7th Dec., 1881, d. 8th May, 1883.

139 (4) Frederick Charles, b. 16th April, 1888.

FAMILY 29—See Family 25.
Children of Laura Kate McKnight and Henry Nelson Wild.

(Sarcoxie, Mo.)

140 (1) Charles Montesque, b. 22nd Oct., 1879.

141 (2) Myrtle, b. 11th Oct., 1882

142 (3) Arthur Otto, b. 22nd Jan., 1887.

FAMILY 30—See Family 25.

Children of Charlotte Jane McKnight and Alexander Clay Stemmons.

(Avilla, Mo.)

143 (1) Efton C., b. 23rd Jan., 1889, d. 20th June, 1889.

FAMILY 31—See Family 15.

Children of Isaac Newton Holman and his first wife, Mary Minerva (Wilson) Holman.

144 (1) Andrew Fenton (See Family 32) b. 19th March, 1860; m. 10th Jan., 1888, Mary Elizabeth Dodge; she b. 17th Feb., 1868. Nine Children.

145 (2) A daughter b. 28th April, 1866, d. 29th April, 1866.

146 (3) A daughter, twin of last above, b. 28th April, 1866, d. 4th May, 1866.

Children of Isaac Newton Holman and his second wife, Caroline Virginia (Moore) Holman.

(Labaddie, Mo.)

147 (1) Mary Elizabeth (See Family 33) b. 25th Aug., 1869; m. Sterling Rains Harvey, 27th April, 1898. One child.

148 (2) Walter Emmet, b. 19th Oct., 1871, d. 1st April, 1884.

149 (3) Norman Lee, b. 26th Oct., 1874.

FAMILY 32—See Family 31.

Children of Andrew Fenton Holman and Mary Elizabeth (Dodge) Holman.

(Labaddie, Mo.)

150 (1) Alma Green, b. 24th Nov., 1888.

151 (2) Frederick, b. 24th June, 1890.

152 (3) Charles Harvey, b. 30th Jan., 1892.

153 (4) Dell, b. 17th Feb., 1894, d. 24th Feb., 1894.

154 (5) Isaac Newton, b. 17th Feb., 1895.

155 (6) Gail, b. 4th July, 1896.

156 (7) Claud Fenton, b. 2nd Sept., 1897.

157 (8) Albert Moore, b. 15th March, 1900.

158 (9) A son b. 17th June, 1901, d. 7th July, 1901.

FAMILY 33—See Family 31.

Children of Mary Elizabeth Holman and Sterling Rains Harvey.

(Labaddie, Mo.)

159 (1) Elizabeth Holman, b. 15th Feb., 1899.

FAMILY 34—See Family 15.

Children of Margaret Jane Holman and George See Wilson.

160 (1) Charles Lee (See Family 35) b. 1st May, 1862; m. Jennie E. Boyd 7th June, 1896; she b. 31st March, 1873. Three children.

161 (2) Georgia May (See Family 36) b. 8th Sept., 1863; m. 26th Feb., 1891, to John Henry Sabert; he b. 16th June, 1865. Four children.

162 (3) Sarah ("Sallie") May, b. 13th Feb., 1866, d. 23rd Oct., 1866.

FAMILY 35—See Family 34.

Children of Charles Lee Wilson and Jennie E. (Boyd) Wilson.

(Sarcoxie, Mo.)

163 (1) Lela May, b. 2nd March, 1897.

164 (2) George Boyd, b. 13th July, 1898, d. 11th Dec., 1899.

165 (3) Maud Lee, b. 12th Nov., 1900.

FAMILY 36—See Family 34.

Children of Georgia May Wilson and John Henry Sabert.

(Sarcoxie, Mo.)

166 (1) Ralph Wilson, b. 25th April, 1892, d. 12th Oct., 1895.

167 (2) Edison Reed, b. 12th Dec., 1893.

168 (3) Blanche Lillian, b. 6th Nov., 1895, d. 19th Jan., 1899.

169 (4) Bernice Louise, b. 22nd Feb., 1900, d. 27th March, 1901.

FAMILY 37—See Family 15.

Children of John James Andrews Holman and Julia Allen (Turk) Holman.

170 (1) William Henry (See Family 38) b. 16th Sept., 1861; m. 4th Oct., 1986, Octavia Lillian Paris. Four children.

FAMILY 38—See Family 37.

Children of William Henry Holman and Octavia Lillian (Paris) Holman.

(Miami, Ind. T.)

171 (1) Alta Julia, b. 4th June, 1888.

172 (2) Winnie M., b. 17th June, 1891.

173 (3) Jennie, b. 3rd June, 1893.

174 (4) Jessie, b. 30th Aug., 1895.

175 (5) John Earl, b. 25th March, 1898.

FAMILY 39—See Family 14.

Children of James Andrews Steele and Minty Waters (Williamson) Steele.

176 (1) William Henry, b. 10th Oct., 1833. Said to be married and living in Texas. He is the only one of Captain Ninian Steele's descendants who cannot be located.

177 (2) Miles Chambers (See Family 40) b. 5th Oct., 1835; m. twice: First time, Mary L. Daugherty, 8th Jan., 1862; she b. —— ———, ——, d. 8th April, 1869. Four children. Second wife, Mary Jane Johnston, 3rd Oct., 1871; she b. 4th Nov., 1847, d. 9th April, 1899. Five children.

FAMILY 40—See Family 39.

Children of Miles Chambers Steele and his first wife, Mary L. Daugherty.

178 (1) Laura Lee, b. 11th Jan., 1864, d. 2nd June, 1866.

179 (2) Martha Howell (See Family 41) b. 17th Nov., 1865; m. William Walter Wolf 21st May, 1884; he b. 14th July, 1858. One child.

180 (3) Margaret Ann, died young.

181 (4) Unnamed, died in early infancy.

Children of Miles Chambers Steele and his second wife, Mary Jane (Johnston) Steele.

(Jefferson City, Mo.)

182 (1) Walter, b. 10th Oct., 1872.

183 (2) Sarah ("Sallie") Adell, b. 20th Aug., 1874.

184 (3) Miles Allen, b. 29th Oct., 1876.

185 (5) Jackson Lamar, b. 19th Feb., 1879.

186 (6) Jerusha Estelle, b. 22nd March, 1881.

FAMILY 41—See Family 40.

Children of Martha ("Mattie") Howell Steele and William Walter Wolf.

(Jefferson City, Mo.)

187 (1) Gladys Adell, b. 14th Sept., 1900.

FAMILY 42—See Family 14.

Children of Capt. John Mitchell Steele and Elizabeth Darinda (Bell) Steele. They lived and died near Statesville, N. C.

188 (1) Dr. Henry Franklin (See Family 43), b. 31st Jan., 1833, d. 10th Sept, 1901; m. Elizabeth Esther Dunlap, 20th Nov., 1873. Two children.

189 (2) James Columbus (See Family 45), b. 10th July, 1839, m. Dora Valinda Montgomery, 19th Oct., 1871; she b. 29th May, 1853. Five children.

190 (3) Sinclair Preston, b. 16th Mar., 1847, d. 8th Feb., 1883. Never married.

FAMILY 43—See Family 42.

Children of Dr. Henry Franklin Steele and Elizabeth Esther (Dunlap) Steele.

(DeView, Ark.)

191 (1) John William, b. 28th Dec., 1874, d. 5th Sept., 1895. Never married.

192 (2) Katie Belle (See Family 44), b. 17th Sept., 1877, m. Albert Sidney Thompson, 2d Feb., 1898; he b. 1st Nov., 1871. One child.

FAMILY 44—See Family 43.

Children of Katie Belle Steele and Albert Sidney Thompson.

(DeView, Ark.)

193 (1) Mary Esther, b. 24th Sept., 1899.

FAMILY 45—See Family 42.

Children of James Columbus Steele and Eudora Valinda (Montgomery) Steele. He is an extensive manufacturer and a prominent man in his church and city.

(Statesville, N. C.)

194 (1) Clarence Montgomery (See Family 46), b. 31st July, 1872; m. Miss Mary Dorcas Wilson, 4th Oct., 1898; she was b. 3d August, 1876. One child.

195 (2) Henry Oscar, b. 28th Oct., 1874.

196 (3) Alexis Preston, b. 27th Dec., 1876.

197 (4) Flake Futhy, b. 22d July, 1880.

198 (5) Mary Elizabeth, b. 12th Sept., 1885.

FAMILY 46—See Family 45.

Children of Clarence Montgomery Steele and Mary Dorcas (Wilson) Steele.

(Statesville, N. C.)

199 (1) Virginia, b. 23d Jan., 1900.

FAMILY 47—See Family 14.

Children of Susana Caroline Steele and James Hill, both of whom lived and died in Iredell Co., N. C.

200 (1) Isabella Almeda, b. 16th Feb., 1846, d. 20th Oct., 1850.

201 (2) Margaret Adams (See Family 48), b. 20th June, 1848; m. Paley Wilson Swann, 30th Sept., 1869; he b. 28th August, 1843. Six children.

FAMILY 48—See Family 47.

Children of Margaret Adams Hill and Paley Wilson Swann.

(Cool Spring, N. C.)

202 (1) Lou Estelle, b. 2d August, 1872.

203 (2) Margaret Almeda, b. 6th August, 1872.

204 (3) Nannie Alma, b. 5th of March, 1875.

205 (4) Elia Hill, b. 15th April, 1878.

206 (5) Herschell Lindley, b. 22d Oct., 1880.

207 (6) Eneas Luton, b. 24th Dec. 1887.

FAMILY 49—See Family 14.

Children of Capt. Ninian Futhy Steele and his first wife, Mary A. (Knox) Steele.

208 (1) William Barnett, b. 3rd Jan., 1845, d. 24th Dec., 1856.

209 (2) Julia Angeline (See Family 50) b. 16th June, 1846; m. 21st Jan., 1869, to Richard Daniel Hix, who was b. 22nd Feb., 1843, d. 9th June, 1894. Ten children.

210 (3) Marshall Knox (See Family 52) b. 29th Sept., 1848; m. Emily Ella Turner 19th Jan., 1874; she b. 25th May, 1853. Eight children.

211 (4) Minor Luico (See Family 54) b. 19th Jan., 1851; m. 6th Oct., 1880, Cora Anna Stevens; she b. 16th Nov., 1859, in Wisconsin. Two children.

Children of Capt. Ninian Futhy Steele and his second wife, Mary Cecelia (Holman) Steele.

212 (1) Florence Janette, b. 6th Nov., 1853, d. 4th Jan., 1854.

213 (2) Catherine ("Kate") Luola (See Family 55) b. 4th Dec., 1854; m. 24th Sept., 1879, George Henry Rollins, who was b. 21st Feb., 1848, in Corinth, Maine. Three children.

214 (3) Jeptha Newton, b. 5th Nov., 1856, d. 16th April, 1866.

215 (4) Ninian Wilson (See Family 56) b. 18th Nov., 1858; m. 9th June, 1883, Rebecca Anne Hutchinson, who was b. 13th Jan., 1861, in St. Charles, Kane county, Ill. Five children.

Mrs. Mary Cecelia Steele, with her two children then living, and her youngest stepson, moved from North Carolina to Iowa in 1869.

FAMILY 50—See Family 49.

Children of Juila Angeline Steele and Richard Daniel Hix.

(Turnersburg, N. C.)

216 (1) Mary Effie (See Family 51) b. 15th Nov., 1869; m. Robert L. Kender 15th Nov., 1888. Three children.

217 (2) Dora Marshall, b. 16th Sept., 1871.

218 (3) Henry Percy, b. 9th July, 1874, d. 17th Feb., 1896.

219 (4) James Stanton, b. 25th May, 1876, d. 11th Jan., 1899.

220 (5) Claud Steele, b. 28th May, 1878.

221 (6) Nola Angeline, b. 6th June, 1881.

222 (7) Jethro Allen, b. 14th Sept., 1883.

223 (8) Bruce R., b. 23rd March, 1886.

224 (9) Ray, b. 27th March, 1888.

225 (10) Richard Minor, b. 27th Oct., 1889.

FAMILY 51—See Family 50.

Children of Mary Effie Hix and Robert L. Kender.

(Turnersburg, N. C.)

226 (1) Arthur L, b. 7th Oct., 1889.

227 (2) Robert Coyte, b. 1st Sept., 1896.

228 (3) Cecil Hix, b. 28th June, 1900.

FAMILY 52—See Family 49.

Children of Marshall Knox Steele and Emily Ella (Turner) Steele

(Turnersburg, N. C.)

Mr. Steele is a cotton-yarn manufacturer of that town, and an influential citizen of his county.

229 (1) Dougan Olivia (See Family 53), b. 27th May, 1876; m. Natley D. Tomlin, 25th Nov., 1896. One child.

230 (2) Norris F., b. 13th May, 1878.

231 (3) Carroll Turner, b. 5th July, 1880, d. 25th June, 1900.

232 (4) LeRoy Clark, b. 13th Feb., 1882.

233 (5) Fleete Shelton, b. 17th Dec., 1883.

234 (6) Swannanoah Grace, b. 28th Dec., 1886.

235 (7) Addie Dorcas, b. 28th August, 1889.

236 (8) Julia Lois, b. 19th Sept., 1893.

FAMILY 53—See Family 52.

Children of Dougan Olivia Steele and Natley D. Tomlin.

(Turnersburg, N. C.)

237 (1) Margaret, b. 12th June, 1899.

FAMILY 54—See Family 49.

Children of Minor Luico Steele and Cora Anna (Stevens) Steele

(Jefferson, Iowa.)

Mr. Steele is a well to do citizen of his county.

238 (1) Effie Frances, b. 1st June, 1882.

239 (2) Florence Hazel, b. 6th Nov., 1893.

FAMILY 55—See Family 49.

Children of Catherine (Kate) Luola Steele and George Henry Rollins.

(Jefferson, Iowa.)

240 (1) Ethel May, b. 25th July, 1881.

241 (2) Guy Willard, b. 29th April, 1883.

242 (3) Blanche Mildred, b. 13th May, 1893.

FAMILY 56—See Family 49.

Children of Ninian Wilson Steele and Rebecca Anne (Hutchinson) Steele. He is a prosperous merchant of
(Jolley, Iowa.)

243 (1) Ray R., b. 28th May, 1884.

244 (2) Mabel May, b. 7th July, 1885.

245 (3) Alvin Cecil, b. 25th August, 1888.

246 (4) Grace Viola, b. 9th May, 1892,

247 (5) Harold Hobart, b. 20th Oct., 1896.

FAMILY AND DESCENDANTS OF JOSEPH, FOURTH CHILD OF CAPTAIN NINIAN STEELE.

FAMILY 57—See Family ?.

Children of Joseph Steele and his first wife, Elizabeth (Harbison) Steele.

248 (1) Ninian (See Family 58) b. 11th Nov., 1803, d. 1st Dec., 1849; m. Hannah Harvey ———, 1826; she b. 6th Nov., 1809, d. 12th Sept., 1861. Ten children.

249 (2) Milas, b. 13th May, 1805, d. in Arkansas. Never married.

250 (3) Maxwell Chambers, b. 4th Jan., 1807, d. young. 57

251 (4) Elizabeth ("Eliza") Adeline (See Family ~~94~~) b, 23rd March, 1808, d. 12th Nov., 1863; m. Edmond Kirkland 1st Feb., 1825; he b. 19th Aug., 1798, d. 11th April, 1854. Eleven children. 107

252 (5) Nancy Savina (See Family ~~114~~) b. 29th April, 1810, d. 4th March, 1835; m. Rev. Joseph Pinkney Morrison 23rd Feb., 1832; he b. 7th May, 1801, d. 28th Sept., 1887. One child.

253 (6) Jane Matilda (See Family ~~122~~) b. 16th Oct., 1812, d. 9th Aug., 1886; m. William Hargraves 22nd Oct., 1839; he b. 5th March, 1802, d. 9th Sept., 1880. Three children. 1135

254 (7) Annie Clarissa, b. 17th Dec., 1814, d. young.

Children of Joseph Steele and his second wife, Sarah (Urquhart) Steele.

(They both died and are buried near Meridianville, Madison county, Ala.)

255 (1) Mary Ann (See Family ~~128~~ 122) b. 28th Sept., 1818, d. 11th April, 1890; m. Maj. John Newton Steele 18th Feb., 1840; he b. 17th Dec., 1810, d. 28th July, 1877. Seven children.

256 (2) Joseph Chambers (See Family ~~131~~ 127) b. 25th Feb., 1820, d. 24th Oct., 1899; m. three times: First wife, Angeline Cornelia McWilliams, 7th Oct., 1841; she b. 6th Jan., 1820, d. 8th March, 1854. Six children. Second wife, Martha Starr Steele, 8th Nov., 1854; she b. 10th Nov., 1828, d. 1st April, 1858. Two children. Third wife, Mrs. Margaret Jones *nee* Moore; m. 11th Jan., 1859; she b. 28th Dec., 1820. No children.

FAMILY 58—See Family 57.

Children of Ninian Steele and Hannah (Hervey) Steele.

257 (1) Elizabeth Jane (See Family 59) b. 13th Nov., 1827; m. Francis Harrison Davis 11th May, 1842; he b. 11th Feb., 1814, d. 13th Dec., 1869. Four children.

258 (2) Maj. Milas William (See Family 68) b. 23rd Sept., 1829, d. 18th July, 1886; m. twice: First, Frances Florida Wills, 6th Feb., 1856; she b. —— ——, ——, d. —— June, 1864. Three children. Second wife, Mrs. Martha Matilda Rodgers *nee* Wills, May, 1866. Four children.

259 (3) Harriet Matilda (See Family ~~78~~ 73) b. 10th Nov., 1832, d. 21st Feb., 1856; m. Benjamin Norris 27th Aug., 1851; he b. 12th May, 1806, d. 19th June, 1889. Three children.

260 (4) John Thomas, b. 15th Jan., 1834, d. 29th Jan., 1871.

261 (5) Jackson (See Family ~~82~~ 77) b. 22nd Sept., 1836; m, 17th Dec., 1868, to Margaret Jane Humphreys; she b. 22nd Jan., 1843. Nine children.

262 (6) Rev. Columbus Oney (See Family 80) b. 10th Nov., 1838; m. twice: First to Virginia Ann Vowell; she b. 27th July, 1840, d. 11th Aug., 1871. Four children. Second to Mrs. Sarah ("Sallie") Elizabeth Wolf *nee* Carruth; she b. 31st Dec., 1839. Five children.

263 (7) Martha Ann (See Family ~~58~~ 82) b. 25th June, 1841; m. Andrew Jackson Hogan 14th Dec., 1858; he b. —— ——, ——. Five children.

264 (8) Judge Joseph Chambers (See Family ~~72~~ 86) b. 10th July, 1843; m. twice: First to Mary Davis; she b. —— ——, 1845, d. 28th Dec., 1869. One child. Second to Frances Elizabeth Norton 3rd Aug., 1873; she b. 28th Aug., 1848. Five children.

265 (9) Emily, b. 15th Aug., 1845; m. Capt. Robert S. Hill; he b. 16th Sept., 1833, d. 4th Sept., 1901. No children. She lives in Plumerville, Ark.

266 (10) Mary Eliza Ninian, b. 1850 and d. same year.

FAMILY 59—See Family 58.

Children of Elizabeth Jane Steele and Francis Harrison Davis.

267 (1) Rev. Robert Ninian (See Family 60) b. 8th Feb., 1844, in Marshall county, Miss.; m. twice: First, 11th Jan., 1865, to Wadie Jane Davis (not related.) One child. Second marriage, 37th Nov., 1873, to Sarah T. Smith, who died 3rd May, 1897. Three children.

268 (2) Joseph Marcus Delaware, b. 15th May, 1845, d. Oct., 1845.

269 (3) Miles Watkins (See Family 63) b. 6th Sept., 1846, d. 15th March, 1884; m. Mary Jane Jones Sept., 1872; she b. 12th Dec., 1852, d. June, 1883. Five children.

270 (4) Harriet Alice (See Family 65) b. 31st Dec., 1849; m. twice: First, on 14th May, 1876, to Toliver Lewis Henderson, who died 12th April, 1876. Three children. Second marriage, on 23rd Dec., 1877, to Tilman Wofford; he b. 12th Aug., 1852. Three children.

FAMILY 60—See Family 59.

Children of Rev. Robert Ninian Davis and his first wife, Wadie Jane (Davis) Davis.

271 (1) Kathrena Alice (See Family 61) b. 24th June, 1866; m. Charles Duvall Hendrix 5th Oct., 1882; he b. 3rd July, 1845. Eight children.

Children of Rev. Robert Ninian Davis and his second wife, Sarah T. (Smith) Davis.

(Dardanelle, Ark.)

272 (1) Alberta Elizabeth (See Family 62) b. 13th May 1876; m. James Lewis Tilley 10th Dec., 1899; he b. 21st Nov., 1873. One child.

273 (2) Elias Watkins, b. 17th Aug., 1879, d. 28th June, 1880.

274 (3) Virginia Gooden, b. 6th April, 1881, d. 8th Aug., 1895.

FAMILY 61—See Family 60.

Children of Kathrene Alice Davis and Charles Duvall Hendrix.

(Carrollton, Ark.)

275 (1) Bertie Elizabeth, b. 19th Aug., 1883.

276 (2) Claud Duvall, b. 25th Oct., 1885.

277 (3) Frederic Earl, b. 11th Jan., 1887.

278 (4) Mary Myrtle, b. 4th Feb., 1891, d. 1st Aug., 1892.

279 (5) William Grover, b. 30th Oct., 1892.

280 (6) Cora Mead, b. 16th Nov., 1894.

281 (7) Ennice Edna, b. 25th Dec., 1896.

282 (8) Otto Reed, b. 20th Nov., 1898.

283 (9) Sadie Ninian, b. 19th April, 1901.

FAMILY 62—See Family 60.

Children of Alberta Elizabeth Davis and James Lewis Tilley.

(Dardanelle, Ark.)

284 (1) James Ninian, b. 19th March, 1901.

FAMILY 63—See Family 59.

Children of Miles Watkins Davis and Mary Jane (Jones) Davis.

285 (1) Robert Burton (See Family 64), b. 22d August, 1873, m. Martha Jane Aldridge, she b. 29th Nov., 1876. One child.

286 (2) Thomas.

287 (3) William.

288 (4) Delaware.

289 (5) Mary Elizabeth Alice.

FAMILY 64—See Family 63.

Children of Robert Burton Davis and Martha Jane (Aldridge) Davis.

(Prim, Ark.)

290 (1) James Nathan, b. 21st Jan., 1896.

FAMILY 65.—See Family 59.

Children of Harriet Alice Davis and her first husband, Toliver Lewis Henderson.

291 (1) Frances, b. 26th July, 1872, d. 21st Aug., 1875.

292 (2) Levi (twin of the last) b. 26th July, 1872, d. 21st Sept., 1872.

293 (3) Belvideria Ninian (See Family 66) b. 14th May, 1875; m. twice: First, to Robert Wear, 11th Jan., 1892. One child. Second, to George Washington Pillers, 15th Dec., 1856. Two children.

Children of Harriet Alice Davis and her second husband, Tilman Wofford.

(Alma, Ark.)

294 (1) Emmet, b. 3rd Oct., 1878.

295 (2) Edgar Tilman, twin of the last, (See Family 67) b. 3rd Oct., 1878; m. Dora Belle Maple, 12th Aug., 1898.

296 (3) Montorny Watkins, b. 28th Dec., 1880.

FAMILY 66.—See Family 65.

Children of Belvideria Ninian Henderson and her first husband, Robert Wear.

297 (1) Lura Alice, b. 3rd Dec., 1892.

Children of Belvideria Ninian Henderson and her second husband, Geo. Washington Pillers.

298 (1) Melvin Allen, b. 3rd Oct., 1897.

299 (2) Ivy Pearl, b. 8th Feb., 1899.

FAMILY 67—See Family 65.

Children of Edgar Tilman Wofford and Dora Belle Maple.

(Alma, Ark.)

300 (1) Robert Otto, b. 30th Oct., 1899.

FAMILY 68—See Family 58.

Children of Maj. Milas William Steele and his first wife, Frances Florinda (Wills) Steele.

301 (1) Benjamin Milas (See Family 69), b. 19th July, 1857, d. 10th March, 1883; m. Annie M. Gordon —— Sept.,

1879; she b. 27th Feb., 1859, d. 2nd July, 1889. One child.

302 (2) Charles Wesley, b. —— Sept., 1859, d Aug., 1862.

303 (3) Edward Caldwell, b. —— May, 1862, d. Feb., 1865.

Children of Maj. Milas William Steele and his second wife, Mrs. Martha Matilda (Rodgers nee Wills) Steele.

304 (1) William Thomas, b. 14th Mar., 1867, d. 18th Dec., 1877.

305 (2) James Oney (See Family 71), b. 19th March, 1870; m. 9th Aug., 1896, to Margaret Ann Beaty; she b. —— Aug., 1872, d. 25th June, 1898. One child.

306 (3) Theodore Ernest, b. 21st April, 1874, d. 14th Feb., 1898.

307 (4) Emma May (See Family 72), b. 12th March, 1877; m. Clifford Vance Ezell 17th Nov., 1897; he b. 9th Jan., 1874. Two children.

FAMILY 69—See Family 68.

Children of Benjamin Milas Steele and Annie M. (Gordon) Steele.

308 (1) Juanita Eloise (See Family 70), b. 3rd June, 1880; m. Clyde Leon McIlveigh 27th Dec., 1897; he b. 7th Nov., 1874. One child.

FAMILY 70—See Family 69.

Children of Juanita Eloise Steele and Clyde Leon McIlveigh.

309 (1) Anna Lucile, b. 21st March, 1900.

FAMILY 71—See Family 68.

Children of James Oney Steele and Margaret Ann (Beaty) Steele.

(Morrillton, Ark.)

310 (1) Clifford Oliver, b. 1st June, 1898, d. 30th Aug., 1898.

FAMILY 72—See Family 68.

Children of Emma May Steele and Clifford Vance Ezell.

(Mayfield, Ky.)

311 (1) Inza Clarice, b. 15th May, 1899.

312 (2) Elsie, b. 28th July, 1900.

FAMILY 73—See Family 58.

Children of Harriet Matilda Steele and Benjamin Norris.

313 (1) William Henry (See Family 74), b. 8th Nov., 1852; m. 12th May, 1875, Miss Emma Hortense Bowling, of Molton, Ala ; she b. 14th Aug., 1856. Six children.

314 (2) Hannah Jane (See Family 76), b. 24th May, 1854; m. 13th March, 1877, to Dr. John Walker Morton; he b. 31st May, 1850. Ten children.

315 (3) Benjamin Richard, b. 12th Feb., 1856, d. 8th Nov., 1880.

FAMILY 74—See Family 73.

Children of William Henry Norris and Emma Hortense Bowling.

(Russellville, Ala.)

316 (1) Lucy Harriet (See Family 75), b. 22nd Oct., 1877; m. Foster Garvin 22nd Oct., 1895. Three children.

317 (2) Carrie Bowling, b. 25th Feb., 1880.

318 (3) Jennie Clark, b. 25th Oct 1882.

319 (4) William Benjamin, b. 26th Oct., 1884.

320 (5) Bertha Hall, b. 15th Dec., 1886, d. 14th Aug., 1888.

321 (6) George Bowling, b. 11th Feb., 1895.

FAMILY 75—See Family 74.

Children of Lucy Harriet Norris and Foster Garvin.

(Jasper, Ala.)

322 (1) Elois, b. 4th Aug., 1896.

323 (2) Marie, b. 16th Aug., 1898.

324 (3) Etoile, b. 30th April, 1901.

FAMILY 76—See Family 73.

Children of Hannah Jane Norris and Dr. John Walker Morton.

(Fort Smith, Ark.)

325 (1) Benjamin Alexander, b. 12th Jan., 1878.

326 (2) Paul Eve, b. 17th Oct., 1879.

327 (3) John Kerr, b. 10th Oct., 1882, d. 8th Sept., 1883.

328 (4) Norris, b. 5th July, 1884.

329 (5) Ida, b. 9th Feb., 1887, d. 9th Oct., 1889.

330 (6) Thomas, b. 19th Sept., 1889.

331 (7) Jennie, b. 29th Feb., 1892.

332 (8) John Walker, b. 17th April, 1895.

333 (9) Ruth (twin of last), b. 17th April, 1895.

334 (10) Clark, b. 12th March, 1897.

FAMILY 77—See Family 58.

Children of Jackson Steele and Margaret Jane (Humphreys) Steele.

(Wooster, Ark.)

335 (1) Infant b. 29th Nov., 1869, d. next day.

336 (2) Margaret Hannah (See Family 78), b. 28th Nov., 1870; m. twice: First, 21st Dec., 1890, to Daniel Kelley Langston: he b. 22nd Nov., 1864, d. 16th Sept., 1896. One child. Second, 21st May, 1899, to John Fisher Gately; he b. 2nd June, 1855. Two children.

337 (3) Laura Augusta (See Family 79), b. 13th Sept., 1872; m. 22nd Feb., 1891, to John Edward Langston; he b. 22nd Jan., 1870. Four children.

338 (4) Emmet, b. 26th Jan., 1875, d. 28th July, 1885.

339 (5) William Walker, b. 30th Dec., 1876.

340 (6) Lula Lee, b. 14th Feb., 1879, d. 25th Nov., 1884.

341 (7) Henry Albert, b. 13th Nov., 1882, d. 6th Nov., 1891.

342 (8) Infant, twin of the last, b. and d. 13th Nov., 1882.

343 (9) Oscar Earl, b. 30th March, 1886.

FAMILY 78—See Family 77.

Children of Margaret Hannah Steele and Daniel Kelley Langston,

(Wooster, Ark.)

344 (1) Ezra Orestus, b. 14th Jan., 1894.

Children of Margaret Hannah Steele and her second husband, John Fisher Gately.

(Wooster, Ark.)

345 (1) Gertrude, b. 18th Feb., 1900.

346 (2) Lena, b. 24th April, 1901.

FAMILY 79—See Family 77.

Children of Laura Augusta Steele and John Edward Langston.

(Wooster, Ark.)

347 (1) Berta Viola, b. 8th Dec., 1891.

348 (2) Madison Ernest, b. 16th Oct., 1893.

349 (3) Emmet Alby, b. 4th May, 1896.

350 (4) Anna Pearl, b. 19th March, 1899.

351 (5) A daughter, b. 23rd July, 1901.

FAMILY 80—See Family 58.

Children of Rev. Columbus Oney Steele and his first wife, Virginia Ann (Vowell) Steele.

352 (1) Mary Augusta (See Family 81), b. 23rd Oct., 1861; m. Fred Gray 22nd May, 1884; he b. 7th Aug, 1861.

353 (2) Eliza Oney, b. 16th July, 1864, d. 2nd Oct., 1865.

354 (3) Columbus Edwin, b. 5th Aug., 1866, d. 14th Sept., 1869.

355 (4) Katie, b. 19th Nov., 1868, d. 4th Aug., 1871.

Children of Rev. Columbus Oney Steele and his second wife, Sarah ("Sallie") Elizabeth (Wolf *nee* Carruth) Steele.

(Lonoke, Ark.)

356 (1) Connie Hervey, b. 30th Jan., 1872, d. 24th May, 1875.

357 (2) Hugh Montgomery, b. 30th Jan., 1875.

358 (3) Rufus Milas, b. 3rd March, 1877.

359 (4) Eugenia Carruth, b. 17th Aug., 1879.

360 (5) Columbus Oney, Jr., b. 30th Oct., 1881.

FAMILY 81—See Family 80.

Children of Mary Augusta ("Gussie") Steele and Fred Gray.

(Hot Springs, Ark.)

361 (1) Orlando Steele, b. 10th April, 1885.

362 (2) C. O., b. 22nd Sept., 1887.

363 (3) Elizabeth ("Bettie"), b. 14th May, 1890, d. 1st May, 1892.

364 (4) Hilda, b. 15th March, 1893.

365 (5) Fred Parker, b. 22nd Nov., 1897.

366 (6) Hugh Rufus, b. 31st Aug., 1900.

FAMILY 82—See Family 58.

Children of Martha Ann Steele and Andrew Jackson Hogan.

(Plumerville, Ark.)

367 (1) Columbus Fountain (See Family 83), b. 17th Oct., 1859; m. Mrs. Alice Pate, *nee* Phelps, 23rd Jan., 1896. Two children.

368 (2) Mary Elizabeth, b. 25th Jan., 1861, d. 4th July, 1867.

369 (3) Joseph Edward (See Family 84), b. 10th Sept., 1869; m. 6th Aug., 1891, to Annie Roberts; she b. 22nd March, 1871. Four children.

370 (4) Benjamin, b. 13th June, 1873, d. 5th July, 1878.

371 (5) Annie Laurie (See Family 85), b. 27th Aug., 1877; m. 19th Sept., 1897, to Wm. Virgil Jones; he b. 9th Aug., 1874. Two children.

FAMILY 83—See Family 82.

Children of Columbus Fountain Hogan and Mrs. Alice (Pate *nee* Phelps) Hogan.

(Plumerville, Ark.)

372 (1) Leatha, b. 21st Nov., 1896.

373 (2) James, b. 14th Oct., 1898.

FAMILY 84—See Family 82.

Children of Joseph Edward Hogan and Annie Roberts.

(Belleville, Ark.)

374 (1) Cary Belle, b. 6th Aug., 1892.

375 (2) Annie Hinda, b. 8th Oct., 1894, d. 5th May, 1897.

376 (3) William Roy, b. 4th Jan., 1897.

377 (4) Charles Jackson, b. 1th Oct., 1900.

FAMILY 85—See Family 82.

Children of Annie Laurie Hogan and William Virgil Jones.

(Belleville, Ark.)

378 (1) William Fred, b. 12th June, 1898.

379 (2) Infant, b. 8th Oct., 1899, d. 25th Oct., 1899.

FAMILY 86—See Family 58.

Children of Judge Joseph Chambers Steele and his first wife, Mary (Davis) Steele.

(Morrilton, Ark.)

380 (1) Eva, b. 28th Nov., 1866, d. 15th April, 1870.

Children of Judge Joseph Chambers Steele and his second wife, Frances Elizabeth (Norton) Steele.

381 (1) Cora Lee, b. 19th May, 1874, d. 19th July, 1874.

382 (2) Hannah Brenty, b. 22nd Oct., 1875, d. 11th Aug., 1876.

383 (3) Emma Elizabeth, b. 11th Dec., 1878.

384 (4) Etta Irene (See Family 87), b. 6th Sept, 1880, m. 30th Jan., 1898, to Robert Lee Denton. Two children.

385 (5) Martha ("Mattie") Eron, b. 27th Dec., 1882, m. 15th Oct., 1900, to Mark Roberts, he b. 27th Oct., 1877.

FAMILY 86½—See Family 86.

Children of Etta Irene Steele and Robert Lee Denton.

(Plummersville, Ark.)

386 (1) Ury Eugene, b. 1st Dec., 1898.

387 (2) Irene, b. 10th Dec., 1899.

FAMILY 87—See Family 57.

Children of Elizabeth ("Eliza") Adeline Steele and Edmond Kirkland.

388 (1) Susan Elizabeth, b. 19th Dec., 1825, d. 1st Nov., 1826.

389 (2) Martha Ann, b. 21st Sept., 1827, d. 9th July, 1873.

390 (3) Virginia Smith (See Family 88), b. 6th Aug., 1829, d. 2nd July, 1897; m. twice. First, 6th Jan., 1858, John Jefferson Cooper, he b. 12th Aug., 1826, d. 18th Mar., 1873. One child. Second, 7th Jan., 1882, to Rev. John Finis McCutcheon, he b. 22nd Aug., 1805, d. 21st Dec., 1895. No children.

391 (4) John William (See Family 90), b. 15th Oct., 1830, d. 12th Oct., 1868, m. 4th Jan., 1855, to Sarah Ann Jones, she b. 9th Nov., 1835, d. 22nd Dec., 1866. Four children.

392 (5) Joseph Benjamin (See Family 95), b. 28th Oct., 1832, d. 27th Dec., 1893, m. Mary Jane Blalock 13th Jan., 1858, she b. 26th Jan., 1836. Six children.

393 (6) Richard Henry (See Family 99), b. 9th Feb., 1835, m. 2nd Jan., 1867, to Mariah Jane Neely, she b. 5th June, 1841. Three children.

394 (7) Frances Matilda (See Family 100), b. 15th Aug., 1838, d. 21st May, 1882, m. William Edward Jones, he b. 22nd Sept., 1833. Seven children.

395 (8) Mary Savina (See Family 105), b. 20th June, 1842, m. Joseph Alexander Black 29th April, 1875, he b. 20th Feb., 1838. Four children

396 (9) Prudence Elizabeth Rebecca, b. 13th Dec., 1844, d. 28th Sept., 1848.

397 (10) Irene Clay, b. 16th Jan., 1847, d. 7th Jan., 1853.

398 (11) Edmond Wood (See Family 106), b. 4th Sept., 1851; m. twice. First, 26th Jan., 1887, to Mary Owen Lucas, she be — April, 1859, d. 27th Feb., 1888. One child. Second, 12th Oct., 1892, to Rosa Lee Blalock, she b. 23rd Feb., 1872. Four children.

FAMILY 88—See Family 87.

Children of Virginia Smith Kirkland and John Jefferson Cooper.

399 (1) Mary Florence (See Family 89), b. 20th March, 1859; m. twice. First, to Edward Philpott Blalock, 15th Nov., 1874, who was b. 2nd Dec., 1837, d. 7th Jan., 1894. Five children. Second husband, William Patrick Felts, 11th Dec., 1895, he b. 18th March, 1864. One child.

FAMILY 89—See Family 88.

Children of Mary Florence Cooper and her first husband, Edward Philpot Blalock.

400 (1) Jennie Belle, b. 7th Oct., 1877, m. James B. Foot, 6th March, 1901.

401 (2) Alma Lee, b. 22nd Jan., 1880.

402 (3) Martha (Mattie) Cooper, b. 21st May, 1882.

403 (4) John Edward, b. 10th April, 1886.

404 (5) William Elliott, b. 17th May, 1889.

Children of Mary Florence Cooper and her second husband, Wm. Patrick Felts.

(Whiteville, Tenn.)

405 (1) Willard Arnold, b. 22nd Feb., 1897.

FAMILY 90—See Family 87.

Children of John William Kirkland and Sarah Ann (Jones) Kirkland.

406 (1) Emma Walker (See Family 91), b. 4th Oct., 1855, m. William Hercules Hayes Brown, 10th Oct., 1878, he b. 14th Dec., 1854. Five children.

407 (2) Prudence Elizabeth, b. 26th Feb., 1857, d. 11th Sept., 1857.

408 (3) Martha ("Mattie") Willie (See Family 92), b. 25th March, 1859, m. Robert Mecklin White 5th July, 1882. he b. 15th Sept., 1854. Five children.

409 (4) Ida (See Family 93), b. 20th Aug., 1861, d. 27th Jan., 1894, m. William Augustine Gaither 19th Nov., 1884, he b. 1st Sept., 1855. Four children.

410 (5) James Edward (See Family 94), b. 1st Aug., 1864, m. Nettie V. Brooks 20th Nov., 1889, she b. 20th April, 1871. Four children.

FAMILY 91—See Family 90.

Children of Emma Walker Kirkland and Wm. Hercules Hayes Brown.

(Decatur, Wise Co., Texas.)

411 (1) William Edward, b. 12th Aug., 1879.

412 (2) Zilpah, b. 8th April, 1882.

413 (3) Martha Elizabeth, b. 18th Feb., 1885.

414 (4) Robert Benjamin, b. 23rd Oct., 1891, d. 1st April, 1897.

415 (5) Joseph Kirkland, b. 6th Jan., 1894.

FAMILY 92—See Family 90.

Children of Martha ("Mattie") Willie Kirkland and Robert Mecklin White.

(Orvilla, Texas.)

416 (1) Mary, b. 20th June, 1883.

417 (2) James Neill, b. 21st May, 1885.

418 (3) Robert Sanders, b. 14th June, 1888.

419 (4) Henry Dunn, b. 12th July, 1891, d. 21st Aug., 1892.

420 (5) Martha Louise, b. 26th Oct., 1895.

FAMILY 93—See Family 90.

Children of Ida Kirkland and William Augustine Gaither.

(Waxahachie, Texas.)

421 (1) Lillie Belle, b. 21st Oct., 1885.

422 (2) Martha ("Mattie") Louise, b. 5th Oct., 1887, d. 1st March, 1891.

423 (3) William Augustine, Jr., b. 29th Dec., 1889.

424 (4) Ida Kirkland, b. 8th Jan., 1891, d. 8th Oct., 1898.

FAMILY 94—See Family 90.

Children of James Edward Kirkland and Nettie V. (Brooks) Kirkland.

(Sterrett, Texas.)

425 (1) Mattie Wiloma, b. 13th Oct., 1890.

426 (2) Eva Sue, b. 20th Feb., 1893.

427 (3) Johnnie Brooks, b. 24th May, 1895.

428 (4) Annie Laura, b. 31st July, 1899.

FAMILY 95—See Family 87.

Children of Joseph Benjamin Kirkland and Nancy Jane (Blalock) Kirkland.

(Whiteville, Tenn.)

429 (1) Mary Eliza, b. 1st Nov., 1858, d. 5th Dec., 1860.

430 (2) Sarah ("Sallie") Belle (See Family 96), b. 29th Nov., 1861, d. 2nd Jan., 1901; m. Jame Benjamin Foote 23rd Nov., 1880. Six children.

431 (3) Feddie Lee (See Family 97), b. 23rd Sept., 1866; m. Thomas Benjamin Wilkes 28th July, 1886. Six children.

432 (4) Jessie Joe Anna (See Family 98), b. 1st March, 1870; m. James Henry Doyle 24th Nov., 1886; he b. 1st Aug., 1862. He is Scotch-Irish. Four children.

433 (5) Died in infancy.

434 (6) Died in infancy.

FAMILY 96—See Family 95.

Children of Sarah ("Sallie") Belle Kirkland and James Benjamin Foote.

(Whiteville, Tenn.)

435 (1) Joseph Benjamin, Jr., b. 27th April, 1885.
436 (2) Jesse, b. 23rd Jan., 1887.
437 (3) John Rhea, b. 5th Feb., 1889.
438 (4) Died in early infancy.
439 (5) Died in early infancy.
440 (6) Died in early infancy.

FAMILY 97—See Family 95.

Children of Feddie Lee Kirkland and Thomas Benjamin Wilks.

(Covington, Tenn.)

441 (1) Nora Bell, b. 1st Nov., 1887.
442 (2) Joseph Benjamin, b. 1st Sept., 1889.
443 (3) Collie, b. 13th Jan., 1893.
444 (4) Mamie, b. 11th Feb., 1896, d. 1st Dec., 1898.
445 (5) Jesse Thomas, b. 25th Sept., 1898.
446 (6) William Herman, b. 11th Sept., 1900.

FAMILY 98—See Family 95.

Children of Jesse Joe Anna Kirkland and James Henry Doyle.

(Boliver, Tenn.)

447 (1) Nannie May, b. 15th Aug., 1887.
448 (2) James Vernon, b. 21st Jan., 1890.
449 (3) Clifford Eugene, b. 1st June, 1894.
450 (4) William Henry, b. 1st Oct., 1900.

FAMILY 99—See Family 87.

Children of Richard Henry Kirkland and Mariah Jane Neely.

(Whiteville, Tenn.)

451 (1) Mary Eleanor, b. 10th June, 1873; m. James Wesley Livingston 19th May, 1901; he b. 19th Aug., 1858.
452 (2) Linnie Maud, b. 9th Nov., 1877; m. William W. Tripp 4th March, 1900; he b. 14th April, 1870.
453 (3) Clarence, b. 26th July, 1881.

FAMILY 100 See Family 87.

Children of Frances Matilda Kirkland and William Edward Jones.

(Waxahachie, Texas.)

454 (1) John William (See Family 101), b. 13th April, 1857; m. Etta Blanche Brown 20th Dec., 1881; she b. 23rd Nov., 1864. Eight children.

455 (2) Martha ("Mattie"), b. 1859.

456 (3) Mary ("Mollie"), b. ———, d. ———.

457 (4) Minnie Lee (See Family 102), b. 1863; m. Joseph C. Hawks 1897. One child.

458 (5) James Richard (See Family 103), b. 1868, d. 1898; m. Willie McQuorter 1891. Three children.

459 (6) Phillip Edward (See Family 104), b. 1874; m. Lula Smith Dec., 1896. One child.

460 (7) Annella, b. 1877, d. 1899.

FAMILY 101—See Family 100.

Children of John William Jones and Etta Blanche (Brown) Jones.

(Waxahachie, Texas.)

461 (1) William Walter, b. 2nd Feb., 1884.

462 (2) Joseph Benjamin, b. 24th Dec., 1885.

463 (3) Fannie Lee Jones, b. 10th Jan., 1887.

464 (4) James Richard, b. 12th Jan., 1889, d. 15th Oct., 1893.

465 (5) Arthur Brown, b. 20th ———, 1891.

466 (6) Arena Blanche, b. 25th Nov., 1893.

467 (7) Frederic, b. 15th Jan., 1897.

468 (8) Rignald Vance, b. 24th Dec., 1899.

FAMILY 102—See Family 100.

Children of Minnie Lee Jones and Joseph C. Hawks.

(Waxahachie, Texas.)

469 (1) William Tyler, b. 1898.

FAMILY 103—See Family 100.

Children of James Richard Jones and Willie McQuorter.

470 (1) William Wade, b. Dec., 1892.

471 (2) Royal Jones, b. March, 1896.

472 (3) James Richard, b. March, 1898.

FAMILY 104—See Family 100.

Children of Phillip Edward Jones and Lula Smith.

(Waxahachie, Texas.)

473 (1)Edna May, b. Dec., 1897.

FAMILY 105—See Family 87.

Children of Mary Savina Kirkland and Joseph Alexander Black.

(Boliver, Tenn.)

474 (1) Leila May, b. 25th April, 1876.

475 (2) Walter Alvin, b. 20th April, 1879.

476 (3) John Pope, b. 18th Feb., 1882.

477 (4) Joseph Austin, b. 28th March, 1884.

FAMILY 106—See Family 87.

Children of Edmond Wood Kirkland and his first wife, Mary Owen (Lucas) Kirkland.

478 (1) Edmond Herman, b. 17th Feb., 1888.

Children of Edmond Wood Kirkland and his second wife, Rosa Lee (Blalock) Kirkland.

(Whiteville, Tenn.)

479 (1) Pitser Miller, b. 5th July, 1893.

480 (2) Opal Rhea, b. 24th June, 1896.

481 (3) Martha ("Mattie") Williams, b. 29th March, 1899.

482 (4) John Frederick, b. 18th August, 1901.

FAMILY 107—See Family 57.

Children of Nancy Savina Steele Childs and Rev. Joseph Pinkney Morrison, a Cumberland Presbyterian Preacher.

483 (1) Martha Elizabeth Caroline (See Family 108), b. 19th July, 1833; m. Andrew Jackson Bryan 30th Dec., 1852; he b. 6th June, 1819; d. 3rd June, 1883. Nine children.

FAMILY 108—See Family 107.

Children of Martha Elizabeth Caroline Morrison and Andrew Jackson Bryan.

(Brookfield, Mo.)

484 (1 William Columbus (See Family 109), b. 8th June,

1854; m. Scottie Belle Austin 21st Dec., 1882; she b. 1st Jan., 1860, d. 22nd Nov., 1897. Six children.

485 (2) Nancy Isabella (See Family 110), b. 20th March, 1856; m. Rev. Thomas Howard Swearingen 20th March, 1879; he b. 9th March, 1852. Eight children.

486 (3) Pernecy Adelaide (See Family 111), b. 18th Dec., 1857; m. Rev. John Taylor Winstead 4th Oct., 1882; he b. 18th Sept., 1855. Six children.

487 (4) Leroy Templeman (See Family 112), b. 5th Jan., 1860; m. Virginia Eliza Mowder 20th Sept., 1883; she b. 25th June, 1862. One child.

488 (5) Joseph Pinkney (See Family 113), b. 10th Feb., 1862; m. Tillie Louisa Meinke 26th March, 1890; she b. 21st Aug., 1866. One child.

489 (6) Robert Donnell (See Family 114), b. 16th Feb., 1864; m. Adelaide Louisa Colliver 17th April, 1889; she b. 20th Aug., 1866. Six children.

490 (7) Thomas Bismark, b. 4th Feb., 1867, P. O. Fresno, Cal.

491 (8) Mary Louisa, b. 18th Feb., 1869, P. O. Brookfield, Mo.

492 (9) Charles Byrd, b. 7th July, 1871. P. O. Brookfield, Mo.

FAMILY 109—See Family 108.

Children of William Columbus Bryan and Scottie Bell (Austin) Bryan.

(Brookfield, Mo.)

493 (1) Harry Hobert, b. 19th Jan., 1884.

494 (2) Clarence, b. 9th Oct., 1886.

495 (3) Everett, b. 4th Sept., 1888.

496 (4) Saddie Louisa, b. 4th Sept., 1893.

497 (5) William Columbus, Jr., b. 17th April, 1895.

FAMILY 110—See Family 108.

Children of Nancy Isabella Bryan and Rev. Thomas Howard Swearingen.

(Fayette, Mo.)

498 (1) John Marvin, b. 18th Nov., 1880.

499 (2) Oscar Eugene, b. 5th Dec., 1883.

500 (3) Dudley Vincil, b. 14th June, 1887.

501 (4) Linney Ray, b. 27th March, 1889.

502 (5) Enoch, b. 27th Dec., 1890, d. 7th Jan., 1891.

503 (6) Angell (twin of last), b. 27th Dec., 1890, d. 9th Jan., 1891.

504 (7) Louella Belle, b. 25th June, 1894.

505 (8) Milia Bryan, b. 27th Aug., 1897.

FAMILY 111—See Family 108.

Children of Pernecy Adelaide Bryan and Rev. John Taylor Winstead.

(Norborne, Mo.)

506 (1) William Thomas, b. 7th Aug., 1884.

507 (2) Mathew, b. 14th July, 1886, d. same day.

508 (3) Paul Jones, b. 11th Dec., 1887, d. 19th Dec., 1889.

509 (4) Moses O'Bryan, b. 5th April, 1890.

510 (5) Palmore Taylor, b. 28th Sept., 1894.

511 (6) George Charles Bolen, b. 8th Oct., 1896.

FAMILY 112—See Family 108.

Children of Leroy Templeman Bryan and Virginia Eliza (Mowder) Bryan.

(Toas, N. M.)

512 (1) Maude Leona, b. 17th Aug., 1884.

FAMILY 113—See Family 108.

Children of Joseph Pinkney Bryan and Tillie Louisa Meinke.

(Armourdale, Mo.)

513 (1) Raymond Meinke, b. 5th July, 1897.

FAMILY 114—See Family 108.

Children of Robert Donnell Bryan and Adelaide Louisa Colliver.

(Ludlow, Mo.)

514 (1) Opal, b 23rd March, 1890.

515 (2) Ora Belle, b. 21st Jan., 1892.

516 (3) James Andrew, b. 3rd Aug., 1893.

517 (4) Robert Donnell., Jr., b. 10th Sept., 1895.

518 (5) William Jennings, b. 22nd Dec., 1897.

519 (6) Alexander Dockery, b. 20th May, 1900.

FAMILY 115—See Family 57.

Children of Jane Matilda Steele and William Hargraves. They lived and died near Kossuth, Miss.

520 (1) Joseph Richard, b. 16th Nov., 1840, d. 27th May, 1862, a prisoner of war in Camp Douglas, Chicago.

521 (2) Julia Elizabeth (See Family 116), b. 8th March, 1843; m. John William McAnulty 18th March, 1868; he b. 12th Oct., 1840 Seven children.

522 (3) Nancy Jane (See Family 118), b. 14th Aug., 1846; m. 16th Jan., 1866, Robert Marion Martin; he b. 24th March, 1838. Four children.

FAMILY 116—See Family 115.

Children of Julia Elizabeth Hargraves and John William McAnnulty.

(Kossuth, Miss.)

523 (1) Joseph Steele (See Family 117), b. 8th June, 1869; m. Hattie Lee Noble, of Dallas, Texas, 20th Dec., 1898. One child.

524 (2) Mittie Lee (See Family 118), b. 7th April, 1871; m. Eugene Babb 12th Dec., 1894; he b. 4th July, 1869. Two children.

525 (3) Martha Isabella, b. 1st Feb., 1873, d. 19th Sept., 1874.

526 (4) Mary William, b. 17th Aug., 1875.

527 (5) John William, Jr., b. 11th Oct., 1879.

528 (6) Martha Hugh, b. 28th Jan., 1882.

FAMILY 117—See Family 116.

Children of Joseph Steele McAnulty and Hattie Lee (Noble) McAnulty.

(Dallas, Texas.)

529 (1) Mary Noble, b. 31st May, 1901.

(Mr. J. S. McAnulty is a popular and prosperous traveling salesman.)

FAMILY 118—See Family 116.

Children of Mittie Lee McAnulty and Eugene Babb.

(Kendrick, Miss.)

530 (1) David William, b. 25th Sept., 1895.

531 (2) Mary Julia, b. 12th Nov., 1898.

FAMILY 119— See Family 115.

Children of Nancy Jane Hargraves and Robert Marion Martin.

(Kossuth, Miss.)

532 (1) Ada Porter, (See Family 120) b. 12th Dec., 1866; m. James Martin Slaughter 18th Sept., 1888; he b. 8th Dec., 1865. One child.

533 (2) Willie Buena, (See Family 121) b. 11th Jan., 1870; m. James Lee McClamroch 22nd Nov., 1892; he born 2nd April 1867. Two children.

534 (3) Joseph Hargraves, b. 25th Jan., 1872.

535 (4) Guy Herbert, b. 26th Oct., 1883.

FAMILY 120—See Family 119.

Children of Ada Porter Martin and James Martin Slaughter.

(Meridian, Miss.)

536 (1) James Martin, b. 13th Feb., 1900.

FAMILY 121—See Family 119.

Children of Willie Buena Martin and James Lee McClamroch.

(Greenville, Texas.)

537 (1) Rema Kathlene, b. 4th Dec., 1893; d. 7th Sept., 1897.

538 (2) Ada Dee, b. 28th Aug., 1895.

539 (3) Ruby Lee, b. 20th Aug., 1899.

FAMILY 122—See Family 57.

Children of Mary Ann Steele and Maj. John Newton Steele. She is buried in Corinth, and he near Kossuth, Alcorn County, Miss.

540 (1) Judge Joseph Robert Steele, b. 19th Nov., 1841, d. 17th Feb., 1900, in Birmingham, Ala. For fourteen years was Probate Judge of Sumter County, Florida.

541 (2) Miles Jackson, b. 23rd Jan., 1844. Mortally wounded in the battle of Franklin, Tenn., 30th Nov., 1864, and d. there 10th Dec., 1864.

542 (3) Rev. William Harvey, b. 19th July, 1847, and d. 19th March, 1885, at Franklin, Tenn.

543 (4) Dr. Newton Chambers (See Family 123), b. 20th Sept., 1849, m. 23rd Feb., 1875, Frances Ellen Jones, near Kossuth, Miss. Three children.

544 (5) Rev Isaac Donnell (See Family 125), b. 26th Oct., 1852, m. Anna Borah, 19th Dec., 1883, in Rienzi, Miss. Two children.

545 (6) Mary Jane (See Family 126), b. 30th June, 1855, d. 28th March, 1890; m. 10th Dec. 1879, William Thomas McPeters, of Alcorn Co., Miss. Four children.

546 (7) Sarah Ann, b. 1st Nov., 1859, d. 1st Oct., 1885; m. Ben D. Sory, 29th Jan., 1885. They had

547 (1) One child that died in early infancy.

FAMILY 123—See Family 122.

Children of Dr. Newton Chambers Steele and Francis Ellen (Jones) Steele.

(Chattanooga, Tenn.)

548 (1) Mary Irene (See Family 124), b. 20th May, 1877, in Kossuth, Miss; m. 26th April, 1898. William Dupree Carswell, a lawyer and a native of Georgia; he b. 8th Oct., 1865. One child.

549 (2) Jones, born and died 13th Jan., 1882.

550 (3) William Hugo, b. 11th Dec., 1884, in Corinth, Alcorn Co., Miss.

FAMILY 124—See Family 123.

Children of Mary Irene Steele and William Dupree Carswell.

(Chattanooga, Tenn.)

551 (1) Edward Steele, b. 2nd Jan., 1899.

FAMILY 125—See Family 122.

Children of Rev. Isaac Donnell Steele and Anna (Borah) Steele.

(Birmingham, Ala.)

552 (1) Donnell Borah, b. 4th Nov., 1884, d. 4th July, 1885.

553 (2) John Borah, b. 7th Aug., 1890, d. 13th Dec., 1891.

FAMILY 126—See Family 122.

Children of Mary Jane Steele and William Thomas McPeters. He is Circuit Court Clerk of Alcorn Co., Miss.

(Corinth, Miss.)

554 (1) Unnamed, born and died August, 1880.

555 (2) Margaret ("Maggie") Steele, b. 5th Sept., 1882.

556 (3) Robert Newton, b. 22nd July, 1884, d. 6th Aug., 1884.

557 (4) Henry, b. 10th August, 1887, d. 18th July, 1888.

FAMILY 127—See Family 57.

Children of Joseph Chambers Steele and his first wife, Angeline Cornelia McWilliams.

558 (1) Andrew Franklin, (See Family 128) b. 7th Feb., 1843; m. Mary Rebecca Redus; she b. 30th Sept., 1845. Nine children.

559 (2) Milas Jackson, b. 31st Oct., 1844, and was killed in the battle of Gaines Mill, Va., 27th June 1862. A Confederate soldier.

560 (3) Sarah Elizabeth, (See Family 132) b. 21st Oct., 1846; d. 19th Nov. 1888; m. Le Roy Wesley McCravey; he b. 15th —— 1835. Two children.

561 (4) William Chambers, b. 7th Feb., 1849; d. 15th April, 1853.

562 (5) Mary Cornelia, b. 25th June, 1851, d. 4th May, 1854.

563 (6) Eleanor M., b. 31st Oct., 1853; d. Feb., 1854.

Children of Joseph Chambers Steele and his second wife, Martha Starr (Steele) Steele.

564 (1) John Newton, b. 1st April, 1856; d. 10th Aug., 1858.

565 (2) Joseph Robert, b. 21st March, 1858.

FAMILY 128—See Family 127.

Children of Andrew Franklin Steele and Mary Rebecca (Redus) Steele.

(Lawhon, Ala.)

566 (1) Emma Jackson, (See Family 129) b. 8th Feb., 1864; m. Oscar Adolphus Thompson; he b. 21st Dec., 1856. Eight children.

567 (2) William Thomas, b. 2nd April, 1865; d. 10th July, 1882.

568 (3) Joseph Chambers, b. 2nd Jan., 1867; d. 2nd July, 1867.

569 (4) Alfred Redus, (See Family 130) b. 1st March, 1869; m. 20th June, 1894 to Gertrude Pearson; she b. 28th April, 1870. Two children.

570 (5) Margaret Elizabeth, (See Family 131) b. 13th Oct., 1870; m. 31st Jan., 1893 to Kirby Cartwright; he b. 17th Sept., 1866. One child.

571 (6) Sarah Elizabeth, b. 6th June, 1873; m. 22nd Dec., 1897 to William Isaac Thompson; he b. 1st Oct., 1865.

572 (7) Ninian Le Roy, b. 19th Oct., 1874.

573 (8) Andrew Franklin, b. 10th Jan., 1877; d. 3rd March, 1877.

574 (9) Charles Leon, b. 6th Jan. 1889.

FAMILY 129—See Family 128.

Children of Emma Jackson Steele and Oscar Adolphus Thompson.

(Lawhon, Ala.)

575 (1) Samuel Steele, b. 27th July, 1881.

576 (2) Frank Lawrence, b. 1st Sept., 1885.

577 (3) Ossie Allene, b. 27th Feb., 1888.

578 (4) Redus Gordon, b. 5th Sept., 1890.

579 (5) Joseph Leroy, b. 24th March, 1892.

580 (6) Ione Estelle, b. 28th March, 1895.

581 (7) Paul Jackson, b. 31st March, 1897.

582 (8) Oscar Adolphus, Jr., b. 8th July, 1900.

FAMILY 130—See Family 128.

Children of Alfred Redus Steele and Gertrude (Pearson) Steele.

(Huntsville, Ala.)

583 (1) Katherine Mai, b 23rd April, 1896.

584 (2) Mildred Louise, b. 2nd August, 1900.

FAMILY 131—See Family 128.

Children of Margaret Elizabeth Steele and Kirby Cartwright.

(Elkmont, Ala.)

585 (1) Marguerite Delia, b. 5th July, 1895.

Mr. Cartwright is a prosperous merchant.

FAMILY 132—See Family 127.

Children of Sarah ("Sallie") Elizabeth Steele and Leroy Wesley McCravey.

(Huntsville, Ala.)

586 (1) Benjamin Leroy (See Family 133), b. 24th Nov., 1874, d. 19th July, 1896; m. Mary Alice Nolen, 30th Dec., 1893, she b. 18th June, 1875. Two children.

587 (2) Cornelia Steele (See Family 134), b. 4th April, 1878, m. John Wesley Davis, 6th Nov., 1895; he b. 13th Dec., 1871. One child.

FAMILY 133—See Family 132.

Children of Benjamin Leroy McCravey and Mary Alice (Nolen) McCravey.

(Huntsville, Ala.)

588 (1) Nellie Wright, b. 7th Oct., 1894.

589 (2) Louis Steele, b. 14th Nov., 1895.

FAMILY 134—See Family 132.

Children of Cornelia Steele McCravey and John Wesley Davis.

(Fort Worth, Texas.)

590 (1) Carroll Shelman, b. 6th Dec., 1896.

Mr. Davis is an affable and successful commercial traveler.

FAMILY AND DESCENDANTS OF JAMES STEELE, NINTH CHILD OF CAPTAIN NINIAN STEELE.

FAMILY 135—See Family 1.

Children of James Steele and Jane (Campbell) Steele. They moved from North Carolina to Western Tennessee, and from there to White Co., Ark.

591 (1) Levinia (See Family 136), b. 12th May, 1812, d. 12th Dec., 1860; m. Job Siddall, ———, 1839; he b. ———, 1802, d. 21st June, 1884. Six children.

592 (2) Ruth (See Family 151), b. 27th June, 1813, d. 21st July, 1891; m. Thomas Hamilton 4th Dec., 1828; he b. ———, 1794, d. 11th June, 1877. Thirteen children.

593 (3) Elizabeth (See Family 163), b. 15th Nov., 1815, d. 21st June, 1877; m. Thomas I. Lackey. Two children.

594 (4) Ann, b. 25th Jan., 1818. Never married. Still living.

595 (5) Ninian Futhy (See Family 165), b. 31st July, 1820, d. 20th May, 1852; m. Phebe A. Wilson 27th Aug., 1846; she b. 31st Dec., 1830, d. 4th Dec., 1859. Two children.

596 (6) Miles Campbell (See Family 172), b. 6th April, 1823, d. 14th Nov., 1864; m. Martha Arnold. One child.

597 (7) Mary Jane, b. 23rd Jan., 1826, d. 12th Feb., 1899. Never married.

598 (8) Samuel Chambers, b. 27th March, 1828, d. 17th August, 1851. Never married.

599 (9) Nancy Margaret, b. 7th May, 1830, d. 28th August, 1880; m. Uriah Herrington. No children.

FAMILY 136—See Family 135.

Children of Levinia Steele and Job Siddall. They lived chiefly in Arkansas.

600 (1) Elizabeth Jane (See Family 137), b. 18th March, 1842; d. 26th May, 1886; m. Ruben Harrison Goad, 22nd July, 1858; he b. 5th Oct., 1839; d. 23rd Feb., 1887. Five children.

601 (2) James (See Family 141), b. 3rd Oct., 1843; m. three times. First, Martha Ann Kelley, 6th Dec., 1866; she d. 18th Feb., 1877. Five children. Second, Mrs. Eliza Woodson *nee* Haynie, 12th July, 1877; she b. 23rd May, 1855; d. 25th Jan., 1899. Eight children. Third, Mrs. Tarley Adeline O'Neal *nee* Knight, Sept., 1900; she b. —— 1856.

602 (3) John Miles, b. 30th March, 1846; d. —— 1864.

603 (4) Sarah Ann (See Family 142), b. 14th Aug., 1847; m. Rev. David Dickerson Banks, 11th Oct., 1866. Twelve children.

604 (5) Job S. Siddall (See Family 145), b. 26th Feb., 1850; m. Susan Melvina Kelley, 6th Dec., 1868; she b. 21st Oct., 1851. Eight children.

605 (6) Ira Alexander (See Family 148), b. 15th July, 1854; m. Sarah McKay Barber, 2nd Oct., 1873. Four children.

FAMILY 137—See Family 136.

Children of Elizabeth Jane Siddall and Ruben Harrison Goad.

606 (1) Margaret Jane (See Family 138), b. 28th Sept., 1859; m. James Holland Henderson, 18th Dec., 1878; he b. 18th Aug., 1858. Six children.

607 (2) Millie Levina (See Family 139), b. 18th Aug., 1862; m. Robert Ephraim French, 25th Oct., 1888. Four children.

608 (3) John Miles (See Family 140), b. 20th Jan., 1865; m, twice: First wife was Mary M. Redwine; she b. 18th March, 1878; d. 24th Jan. 1897. One child. Second wife, Dora Wilson, 15th Sept., 1898; she b. 3rd March, 1880. One child.

609 (4) James Harrison, b. 24th July, 1873; m. 9th Jan., 1901 to Miss Louella Bigham; she b. 20th July, 1879.

610 (5) Frances Elizabeth, b. 7th Sept., 1877; d. 3rd Nov., 1887.

FAMILY 138—See Family 137.

Children of Margaret Jane Goad and James Holland Henderson.

(Hico, Texas.)

611 (1) Dora Ann, b. 23rd Sept., 1879.

612 (2) Bulah Ruie, b. 7th Jan., 1882.

613 (3) Mary Nettie, b. 6th July, 1884.

614 (4) Oliver Wesley, b. 27th Feb., 1890.

615 (5) Bobbie Lee, b. 8th April, 1893.

616 (6) Claud Miles, b. 6th Nov., 1896.

FAMILY 139—See Family 137.

Children of Millie Levinia Goad and Robert Ephraim French.

(Hico, Texas.)

617 (1) Ruben Bayless, b. 2nd Sept., 1889.

618 (2) James Albert, b. 8th Sept., 1892, d. 24th Sept., 1892.

619 (3) Grace Jane, b. 5th April, 1895.

620 (4) Mary Elizabeth Gertrude, b. 29th July, 1896,

621 (5) Roy Jackson, b. 13th Nov., 1897.

622 (6) Robert Marlin, b. 1st March, 1900, d. 11th June, 1900.

623 (7) Emmet Anderson, b. 24th March, 1891.

FAMILY 140—See Family 137.

Children of John Miles Goad and his first wife, Mary M. (Redwine) Goad.

624 (1) Margaret Belle, b. 9th Sept., 1893.

Children of John Miles Goad, and his second wife, Dora (Wilson) Goad.

625 (1) Rubie Irene, b. 31st July, 1899.

FAMILY 141—See Family 136.

Children of James Siddall and his first wife, Martha Ann (Kelley) Siddall.

626 (1) John C., b. 20th Nov., 1867.

627 (2) Futhy Miles, b. 23rd Jan., 1870, d. 21st Sept., 1872.

628 (3) James Hervey Bedford, b. 4th Nov., 1871, d. 5th Nov., 1872.

629 (4) Pressley Job, b. 15th Sept., 1873.

630 (5) Robert Boston, b. 12th Feb., 1877.

Children of James Siddall and his second wife, Mrs. Eliza (Woodson, *nee* Haynie) Siddall.

(Waxahachie, Texas.)

631 (1) Joseph Zachariah, b. 17th Dec., 1881, d. 5th July, 1893.

632 (2) Albert Arthur, b. 13th July, 1884.

633 (3) Ruben Luther, b. 1st June, 1887.

634 (4) Gladys Eura, b. 8th June, 1889.

635 (5) Millie Dee, b. 13th Feb., 1891.

636 (6) Zord Esther, b. 13th Feb., 1893.

637 (7) Suda Bell, b. 20th Sept., 1895.

FAMILY 142—See Family 136.

Children of Sarah Ann Siddall and Rev. David Dickerson Banks.

(Alto, Texas.)

638 (1) Sarah Elizabeth, b. 2nd Aug., 1867; d. 8th Oct., 1867.

639 (2) Frances Maria Levinia (See Family 143), b. 1st Oct., 1868; m. 18th Oct., 1888 to Wm. Jefferson Hudson; he b. 14th June, 1862. Six children.

640 (3) John Henry, b. 29th June, 1870.

641 (4) Lenora Ann (See Family 144), b. 24th Feb., 1874; m. 23rd June, 1892 to Leonard Osborn Tomlinson. Three children.

642 (5) David Franklin, b. 29th Nov., 1875; d. 31st Dec., 1875.

643 (6) Lula, b. 2nd Nov., 1876.

644 (7) Gover, b. 19th Oct., 1878.

645 (8) Cora. b. 20th Sept., 1880.

646 (9) Katie Gertrude, b. 14th Dec., 1882.

647 (10) Ada Irene, b. 12th Sept., 1884.

648 (11) Robert Kavenaugh, b. 4th Nov., 1886; d. 8th Dec., 1886.

649 (12) Thomas Waters, b. 24th June, 1888.

FAMILY 143—See Family 142.

Children of Frances Maria Levinia Banks and Wm. Jefferson Hudson.

(Rusk, Texas.)

650 (1) Lillie May, b. 19th May, 1890.

651 (2) David Orestes, b. 27th Oct., 1891.

652 (3) Jesse B., b. and d. 23rd Sept., 1894.

653 (4) William Milburn, b. 9th Nov., 1895.

654 (5) Elmer Job, b. 17th Nov., 1896.

655 (6) Connor Hubert, b. 21st Aug., 1898.

656 (7) Edna Leila, b. 17th May, 1900.

FAMILY 144 –See Family 142.

Children of Lenora Ann Banks and Leonard Osborn Tomlinson.

(Priddy, Texas.)

657 (1) John Franklin, b. 16th Aug., 1896.

658 (2) William Roy, b. 26th Dec., 1897.

659 (3) Elizabeth ("Lizzie") Lucy, b. 18th Oct., 1899.

FAMILY 145—See Family 136.

Children of Job S. Siddall and Susan Melvina (Kelley) Siddall.

(Carter, Oklahoma.)

660 (1) Annie Laurie, b. 27th Nov., 1869, d. 14th March, 1870.

661 (2) Marie Della, b. 14th July, 1871, d. 15th Jan., 1872.

662 (3) Georgia Dora, b. 7th Feb., 1873, d. 14th Jan., 1875.

663 (4) Joe Ella (See Family 146), b. 17th Jan., 1875; m. William H. Dickson, 27th Jan., 1895. Two children.

664 (5) Maud Zella (See Family 147), b. 9th Sept., 1877; m. Charles Frank Morrow, 5th April, 1895; he b. 24th Nov., 1873. One child.

665 (6) Sidney Wesley, b. 16th Oct., 1875.

666 (7) Bulah Frances, b. 21st Dec., 1882.

667 (8) Lula Nancy, b. 30th May, 1885.

FAMILY 146—See Family 145.

Children of Joe Ella Siddall and William H. Dickson.

(Waxahachie, Texas.)

668 (1) Everett Elma, b. 10th July, 1897.

669 (2) Emsley Vernon, b. 16th July, 1900.

FAMILY 147—See Family 145.

Children of Maud Zella Siddall and Charles Frank Morrow.

(Carter, Oklahoma.)

670 (1) Sidney Lee, b. — Sept., 1899.

FAMILY 148—See Family 136.

Children of Ira Alexander Siddall and Sarah McKay (Barber) Siddall.

(Ozro, Texas.)

671 (1) Ollie Vada (See Family 149), b. 18th March, 1875; m. Hugh Lawson White, 7th July, 1895; he b. 24th May, 1872. One child.

672 (2) William Mannel (See Family 150), b. 28th July, 1877; m. Omah Lee Young, 13th May, 1900; she b. 25th Oct., 1883. One child.

673 (3) Calvin Erwin, b. 25th May, 1886.

674 (4) Roy Alexander, b. 8th Dec., 1894.

FAMILY 149—See Family 138.

Children of Ollie Vada Siddall and Hugh Lawson White.

(Mountain Peak, Texas.)

675 (1) Andrew Buchanan, b. 20th July, 1897.

FAMILY 150—See Family 148.

Children of William Manuel Siddall and Omah Lee (Young) Siddall.

(Ozro, Texas.)

676 (1) Charles, b. 10th April, 1901.

FAMILY 151—See Family 135.

Children of Ruth Steele and Thomas Hamilton. He was a soldier in the war of 1812.

677 (1) Jane Penelope, b. 24th Nov., 1829, d. 3rd April, 1899.

678 (2) Martha Ann (See Family 152), b. 14th May, 1832, d. 6th Sept., 1863; m. John Wesley Morton, July 15th, 1856, he b. 11th Feb., 1837. Three children.

679 (3) Elizabeth Caroline, b. 15th Jan., 1834, d. 14th August, 1877.

680 (4) Margaret Levinia, b. 22nd Oct., 1836,d. 23rd March, 1842.

681 (5) James Brown (See Family 154), b. 24th Feb., 1838, in Marion Co., Ala.; m. Jeanette Isabella Brown, 22nd March, 1866; she b. 22nd March, 1842. Three children.

682 (6) Elzira, b. 5th Feb., 1840.

683 (7) Mary Emily, b. 20th Jan., 1842; m. William Asbury Miller, 11th May, 1879; he b. 16th March, 1841, d. 9th March, 1898. No children.

684 (8) William Dunbar (See Family 157), b. 24th Feb., 1844; m. Martha Jane Brown, 20th Feb., 1867; she b. 18th June, 1844. Six children.

685 (9) Louisa Catherine, b. 22nd Jan.. 1846.

686 (10) Hiram Steele (See Family 160), b. 27th Feb., 1848; m. 11th March, 1875, Mary Beatrice Chamberlain; she b. 17th June, 1855. Ten children.

687 (11) Thomas Henry (See Family 161), b. 18th March, 1850; m. 10th Feb., 1892, Minerva Idella Morton; she b. ———, 1859; d. 5th Feb., 1895. One child.

688 (12) Minerva Kemper (See Family 162), b. 1st Sept., 1842; m. Thomas Reed Morton, 23d, Dec., 1894, he b. 23rd Sept., 1869. One child.

689 (13) Moses Lock, b. 15th April, 1855.

FAMILY 152—See Family 151.

Children of Martha Ann Hamilton and John Wesley Morton.

690 (1) John Thomas, b. 16th Sept., 1857, d. same day.

691 (2) Mary Ruth (See Family 153), b. 12th June, 1859; m. James Crockett Crowder, 27th Feb., 1881, he b. 3rd March, 1857. Seven children.

692 (3) James Brown, b. — Sept., 1861, d. 9th Sept., 1863.

693 (4) Son, b. 5th Sept., 1863, d. same day.

FAMILY 153—See Family 152.

Children of Mary Ruth Morton and James Crockett Crowder.

(Palmetto, Miss.)

694 (1) Charles Wesley, b. 13th Nov. 1882, d. 20th Oct., 1885.

695 (2) William Dempsey, b. 21st Nov., 1884.

696 (3) Luther Evans, b. 5th March, 1887.

697 (4) Lula Eliza, b. 8th Oct., 1889.

698 (5) Maggie Lee, b. 23rd, Dec., 1892.

699 (6) James Arthur, b. 7th April, 1896.

700 (7) Johnnie Ruth Steele, b. 20th April, 1899.

FAMILY 154—See Family 151.

Children of James Brown Hamilton and Jernett Isabella (Brown) Hamilton.

(Anson, Texas.)

701 (1) Anna Tulula (See Family 155), b. 25th Nov., 1867; m. James David Gordon, 12th Feb., 1894, he b. b. 21st August, 1860. Two children.

702 (2) Charles Lee, b. 8th Jan., 1872.

703 (3) James Luther (See Family 156), b. 4th Feb., 1875; m. 28th June, 1895, Mary Ella Nail, she b. 13th April, 1881. Two children.

FAMILY 155—See Family 154.

Children of Anna Tulula Hamilton and James David Gordon.

(Truby, Texas.)

704 (1) Isam David Rurick, b. 12th Nov., 1894, d. 14th Feb., 1895.

705 (2) James Lee, b. 2nd Feb., 1896.

FAMILY 156—See Family 154.

Children of James Luther Hamilton and Mary ("Mollie") Ella (Nail) Hamilton.

(Matador, Texas.)

706 (1) Annie Belle, b. 21st Oct., 1898.

707 (2) Lula May, b. 22nd May, 1900.

FAMILY 157—See Family 151.

Children of William Dunbar Hamilton and Martha Jane (Brown) Hamilton.

(Palmetto, Miss.)

708 (1) Anna Viola (See Family 158), b. 12th May, 1868; m. Robert Russell Guthrie, 28th Jan., 1885, he b. 23rd Dec., 1861. Four children.

709 (2) Samantha Jane, b. 9th Feb., 1870, d. ———, 1877.

710 (3) James Thomas (See Family 159), b. 10th Feb., 1872; m. Nobie Wardlaw, 28th Sept., 1893, she b. 25th Sept, 1875. Three children.

711 (4) Florence Ada, b. 17th Jan., 1875.

712 (5) William Hollie, b. 17th Dec., 1877.

713 (5) Ruth Candice, b. 2nd April, 1882.

FAMILY 158—See Family 157.

Children of Anna Viola Hamilton and Robert Russell Guthrie.

(LaFayette Springs, Miss.)

714 (1) Virginia Adelena, b. 28th March, 1887.

715 (2) Emma Lillian, b. 8th, August, 1889.

716 (3) William Harman, b. 9th Oct., 1893.

717 (4) Roy Clarence, b. 7th Oct., 1895.

FAMILY 159—See Family 157.

Children of James Thomas Hamilton and Nobie (Wardlaw) Hamilton.

718 (1) Luther Sumter, b. 21st August, 1895.

719 (2) Ethel Inez, b. 26th August, 1897.

720 (3) Audrie Myrtle, b. 31st March, 1896.

FAMILY 160—See Family 151.

Children of Hiram Steele Hamilton and Mary Beatrice (Chamberlain) Hamilton.

(Belton, Bell Co., Texas.)

721 (1) Otho Graham, b. 18th Dec., 1875, d. 7th Jan., 1877.

722 (2) Lee Ella, b. 27th Oct., 1877, d. 17th Jan., 1892.

723 (3) Erma Sarah ("Sallie") b. 15th Dec., 1879, d. 24th Sept., 1888.

724 (4) Zelda Ruth Beatrice, b. 4th Feb., 1882.

725 (5) Thomas Oliver, b. 15th Dec., 1883.

726 (6) Almeda, b. 11th April, 1886.

727 (7) Rufus Hiram, b. 24th Oct., 1888.

728 (8) Hallie Grace, b. 22nd Nov., 1890.

729 (9) William Huston, b. 9th May, 1893, d. 4th May, 1894.

730 (10) Kate, b. 6th April, 1895.

FAMILY 161—See Family 151.

Children of Thomas Henry Hamilton and Minerva Idella (Morton) Hamilton.

(Verona, Miss.)

731 (1) Rufus Steele, b. 28th Dec., 1892.

FAMILY 162—See Family 151.

Children of Minerva Kemper Hamilton and Thompson Reed Morton.

(Verona, Miss.)

732 (1) John Thomas, b. 12th Oct., 1895, d. same day.

They have an adopted daughter named Myrtle Emma, b. 15th April, 1896.

FAMILY 163—See Family 135.

Children of Elizabeth Steele and Thomas I. Lackey.

733 (1) Nancy Elizabeth (See Family 164), b. 21st Nov., 1842; m. William Lawson Jackson, Feb. 7th, 1877; he b. 25th Dec., 1843. Two children.

734 (2) Thomas Chambers, b. ——, d. ——. Never married.

FAMILY 164—See Family 163.

Children of Nancy Elizabeth Lackey and Wm. Lawson Jackson.

(Mariana, Ark.)

735 (1) Mem, b. ———, 1879.

736 (2) Wm. Thomas, b. 21st June, 1880.

FAMILY 165—See Family 135.

Children of Ninian Futhy Steele and Phebe Arixamath Wilson.

737 (1) Martha Ann (See Family 166), b. 11th Oct., 1847; m. Bradford Henderson Altman, 24th Jan., 1866, he b. 12th Sept., 1838, d. 27th Dec., 1898. Thirteen children.

738 (2) Frances Elizabeth Jane (See Family 170) b. 9th Oct., 1849, d. 10th July, 1898; m. Houston Steward Barnett, 1st March, 1866, he b. 10th Oct., 1843. Eleven children.

FAMILY 166—See Family 165.

Children of Martha Ann Steele and Bradford Henderson Altman.

(Hico, Texas.)

739 (1) Sidney Wilson (See Family 167), b. 23rd Dec., 1866; m. Lula Azalee Haynie, 27th Dec., 1896. Three children.

740 (2) A daughter, b. 23rd Dec., 1868, d. 24th Dec., 1868.

741 (3) A daughter, b. 15th Jan., 1870, d. 15th Jan., 1870.

742 (4) Annie Margaret Jane (See Family 168) b. 25th April, 1871; m. Charles M. Thompson, 6th Jan., 1886, he b. 28th Feb., 1862. Seven children.

743 (5) Wiley Futhy (See Family 169), b. 2nd August, 1872; m. Martha ("Mattie") Ann Knowles, 20th Nov., 1897. Two children.

744 (6) Alice Houston, b. 1st Feb., 1874, d. 20th Feb., 1874.

745 (7) Minnie Elizabeth, b. 9th May, 1875, d. 2d Sept., 1875.

746 (8) Georgia Frances, b. 2d Sept., 1876, d. 26th July, 1877.

747 (9) A son, b. 12th Sept., 1878, d. 12th Sept., 1878.

748 (10) Ada Dora, b. 23rd June, 1879; m. 1ra Jasper Pierce 10th Dec., 1899, he b. 28th Feb., 1875.

749 (11) Della Skillern, b. 20th Sept., 1880, d. 3rd Mar., 1881.

750 (12) John Bradford, b. 20th May, 1883, d. 24th Jan., 1884.

751 (13) A daughter, b. 2nd Feb., 1886, d. 2nd Feb., 1886.

FAMILY 167—See Family 166.

Children of Sidney Wilson Altman and Lula Azalee (Haynie) Altman.

(Hico, Texas.)

752 (1) Agnes Odessa, b. 14th Oct., 1897, d. 14th Jan., 1899.

753 (2) Wanda Elvira, b. 14th Jan., 1899.

754 (3) Truman Wheeler, b. 24th Dec., 1900.

FAMILY 168—See Family 166.

Children of Annie Margaret Jane Altman and Charles M. Thompson.

(Hico, Texas.)

755 (1) Minnie Loula, b. 1st April, 1887.

756 (2) Margaret ("Maggie") Ann, b. 7th August 1889, d. 4th Oct., 1889.

757 (3) Wiley Bradford, b. 30th August, 1890.

758 (4) Cora Ada, b. 11th March, 1893.

759 (5) Arthur Sidney, b. 15th July, 1895.

760 (6) Charles Collins, b. 3rd July, 1898.

761 (7) Martha ("Mattie") Matilda, b. 3rd Jan., 1901.

FAMILY 169—See Family 166.

Children of Wiley Futhy Altman and Martha ("Mattie") Ann (Knowles) Altman.

(Hico, Texas.)

762 (1) Rhuey, b. 1st Dec., 1898.

763 (2) Elvis Wilson, b. 13th March, 1901.

FAMILY 170—See Family 165.

Children of Frances Elizabeth Jane Steele and Houston Stewart Barnett.

(Carlton, Texas.)

764 (1) Robert Granville, b. 11th Feb., 1867, d. 9th Feb., 1868.

765 (2) John Futhy, b. 7th Sept., 1868, d. 25th Sept., 1868.

766 (3) Eura Savannah (See Family 171) b. 11th Sept., 1869; m. Thomas Jefferson Hall, 25th Sept., 1889, he b. 26th Oct., 1869. Two children.

767 (4) Jennie Emeline, b. 24th Sept., 1872, d. 18th April, 1875.

768 (5) Martha ("Mattie") Carrie, b. 9th Sept., 1874.

769 (6) James Edgar, b. 20th Feb., 1877.

770 (7) Zimriah Moore, b. 22nd August, 1879, d. 20th May, 1880.

771 (8) Wilson Steele, b. 9th May, 1881.

772 (9) Cecil Glen, b. 1st Nov., 1883.

773 (10) Bradford Houston, b. 15th July, 1886.

774 (11) Erley Elizabeth, b. 10th Jan., 1889.

FAMILY 171—See Family 170.

Children of Eura Savannah Barnett and Thomas Jefferson Hall.

(Altman, Texas.)

775 (1) Gracie Erlean, b. 15th August, 1890.

776 (2) Martha ("Mattie") Luella, b. 17th March, 1893.

FAMILY 172—See Family 135.

Children of Miles Campbell Steele and Martha Arnold.

777 Laura Vasty Jane (See Family 173); b. 19th Aug., 1854; m. Daniel Cass Burns, 22nd June, 1871, he b. 8th Sept., 1848. Five children.

FAMILY 173—See Family 172.

Children of Laura Vasty Jane Steele and Daniel Cass Burns.

(Searcy, Ark.)

778 (1) William Sinclair, b. 17th April, 1872.

779 (2) Ola Elizabeth, b. 15th August, 1875; m. 28th August, 1900, to James Norvell Singleton, he b. 15th April, 1866.

780 (3) Sudie Penelope, b. 29th Jan., 1878.

781 (4) Martha Zilpah, b. 21st Jan., 1881, d. 12th Mar., 1896.

782 (5) Miles Daniel, b. 9th Feb., 1891, d. 13th August, 1895.

FAMILY AND DESCENDANTS OF SAMUEL FUTHY STEELE, TENTH CHILD OF CAPTAIN NINIAN STEELE.

FAMILY 175 See Family 1.

Children of Samuel Futhy Steele, and his first wife, Nancy Melissa (Carson) Steele.

783 (1) A daughter, b. and d. 27th Dec., 1815.

784 (2) Margaret, b. 8th March, 1817, d. 23rd July, 1817.

Children of Samuel Futhy Steele, and his second wife, Mary (Gracey) Steele. They moved from Iredell County, N. C., to Hardeman Co., Tennessee, in 1824, where both died.

785 (1) Ninian Sinclair (See Family 176), b. 3rd Dec., 1820; m. Mary Elizabeth Smith, 22nd Jan., 1852, she b. ———, d. 27th July, 1886. Three children.

786 (2) Nancy Melissa, b. 5th May, 1822, d. 8th Sept., 1834.

787 (3) Prudence Elizabeth (See Family 178), b. 4th March, 1826; m. Robert W. S. Carnes, 17th Nov., 1842, he b. 4th June, 1820, d. 20th Oct., 1859. Eight children.

FAMILY 176—See Family 175.

Children of Ninian Sinclair Steele and Mary Elizabeth (Smith) Steele.

788 (1) Ida M., b. 20th March, 1853, d. 2nd August, 1885; m. Wm. Henry Dean, 24th July, 1884, he b. 6th Oct., 1843.

789 (2) Susan Mary, b. 15th April, 1854; m. Dr. William Luther Turk, 26th Jan., 1888.

790 (3) Bertha Gracey (See Family 177), b. 18th Nov., 1862; m. William Micajah Spencer, 10th July, 1889. Three children.

FAMILY 177—See Family 176.

Children of Bertha Gracey Steele and William Micajah Spencer.

791 (1) William Micajah, Jr., b. 29th June, 1890.

792 (2) Steele, b. 13th August, 1893.

793 (3) Sue Steele, b. 13th August, 1895. 1895

FAMILY 178—See Family 175.

Children of Prudence Elizabeth Steele and Robert W. S. Carnes.

(Independence, Texas.)

794 (1) William Minor (See Family 179), b. 12th Jan., 1845, d. 13th Nov., 1893; m. Emma Ella Crowder, 18th Dec., 1882, she b. 31st Jan., 1865, d. 24th Oct., 1891. Three children.

795 (2) Robert S, b. 29th Oct., 1846, d. 22nd Jan., 1847.

796 (3) Mary Scott, b. 19th Jan., 1848, d. 27th Sept., 1872; m. Frank B. Lemmon, 26th July, 1871. No children.

797 (4) Robert Sinclair, b. 24th Feb., 1850, d. 23rd July, 1852.

798 (5) James Alexander (See Family 180), b. 14th Feb., 1852; m. Minnie Virginia Adams, 18th August, 1886, she b. 12th Jan., 1867. Three children.

799 (6) David Brown (See Family 181), b. 24th Jan., 1855; m. Cornelia Haralson Leonard, 27th Dec., 1881, she b. 31st March, 1861. Five children.

800 (7) Elizabeth Steele (See Family 182), b. 12th April, 1856; m. George Winston Booker, 24th Dec., 1879, he b. 6th Oct., 1856. Four children.

801 (8) Robert W. S., Jr, b. 4th March, 1859, d. 18th Oct., 1867.

FAMILY 179—See Family 178.

Children of William Minor Carnes and his wife Emma Ella (Crowder) Carnes.

(McCairne, Texas.)

802 (1) Annie Steele, b. 30th Nov. 1883.

803 (2) Ella Cornelia, b. 13th Sept., 1885.

804 (3) John William, b. 19th July, 1889.

FAMILY 180.—See Family 178.

Children of James Alexander Carnes and Minnie Virginia (Adams) Carnes.

(Richmond, Texas.)

805 (1) Elizabeth ("Lizzie") Virginia, b. 12th June, 1888.

806 (2) Elizabeth ("Bettie") Mae, b. 30th Jan., 1892.

807 (3) William Arnold Adams, b. 12th Jan., 1895.

FAMILY 181—See Family 178.

Children of David Brown Carnes and Cornelia Haralson (Leonard) Carnes.

(Abiline, Texas.)

808 (1) James Leonard, b. 20th August, 1883.

809 (2) Mary Elizabeth, b. 26th July, 1888.

810 (3) Mary Scott, twin of last, died day of birth.

811 (4) Annie Mary, b. 16th Feb., 1890.

812 (5) Pauline, b. 4th July, 1894.

FAMILY 182—See Family 178.

Children of Elizabeth Steele Carnes and George Winston Booker.

(Independence, Texas.)

813 (1) Frederic Carnes, b. 15th Oct., 1880.

814 (2) Gracey Johns, b. 25th June, 1883.

815 (3) Mary Scott, b. 8th Sept., 1886, d. 25th Oct., 1887.

816 (4) Winston Bryan, b. 30th June, 1889.

This ends the Genealogical Department. There is one fractional Family (86½), and one omission (171), thus leaving 182 as the full number of families.

There is one given name in this Genealogy that occurs often, and is spelled several ways by those using it. It is Miles, Milas, Milus or Mily. I suppose Miles is the original and correct way of spelling it, and I have usually so spelled it, but Milus and Mily are more euphonious.

MILITARY CHAPTER.

THE STEELES IN WAR.

I will here briefly record the military history of Ninian Steele and his descendants in the Revolutionary War, and the great Civil War of 1861-5, and the Spanish-American War of 1898. The Steeles have always been quiet, peaceable citizens—the most of them leading the plain retired life of the farmer. They had no taste or training for war.

ROLL OF HONOR.

THE AMERICAN REVOLUTIONARY WAR.

CAPT. NINIAN STEELE.

So far as I have been able to find there are no official records that prove that Ninian Steele the First was a soldier in the Revolutionary War, but I hardly have a doubt that he was. Military records in the Carolinas were very imperfect during that war. Absence of official records of such matters is not positive proof that they are not history.

Ninian Steele was thirty-seven years old when the war began. He was a good citizen and an Irish Presbyterian, and thus it seems there was every reason to suppose that he would take an active part in the struggle for liberty.

FAMILY TRADITION.

I have a letter from a lady now eighty years old whose mother was an orphan girl reared in the family of Ninian Steele. This lady says that she has heard her mother say that Ninian Steele was a soldier in that war, and she used to hear her tell how afraid the wife and children of Ninian Steele sometimes were, while he was gone to the war, and the British and Tory troops were reported to be in the community. There was no man at home to protect them, and the terror of those terrible days and the nights of suspense deeply impressed their minds with the facts and the reasons for them.

Hence I think we may rightly claim that our paternal ancestor was a soldier in the Revolutionary War.

He was afterward called captain, but I have no evidence that he was a captain in that war. Perhaps he was, or he may have been a captain of a company of State militia after the war. The custom, so common now, of calling almost every man by some title did not prevail in those days. Hence, when a man was called captain or colonel then he usually was entitled to it in a military sense.

THOMAS HAMILTON.

Thomas Hamilton (See Family 151) was in the war of 1812, under General Jackson, and received a knife wound in the arm in a fight with the Indians. Nothing more known of his military history. He was born in North Carolina, and I suppose volunteered as a soldier from that State. He afterward lived in Tennessee, Alabama and Mississippi, dying in the latter State.

THE CIVIL WAR OF 1861-65.

During the great Civil War between the Southern and Northern States, 1861-65, twenty-four descendants of Ninian Steele were soldiers in the Confederate army, and so far as I know, not one in the army of the North. All of them lived in the South. There were fourteen Confederate soldiers who before or since that war, were directly connected with the Steele family by marriage. They are mentioned at the end of this chapter. I shall mention each one of both classes and give his company, regiment, and tell what office he held, if any, and whether he was captured, wounded, killed or died of disease while in the military service. Only brief mention will be made of most of them, because my information about them is limited. No effort was made to gather data concerning them until thirty-three years after the war closed, by which time many of the important actors who survived the war were dead.

While a people of peace and having no love for war, the Steeles were prompt to respond to the call of their several states to defend those States from what they believed to be an unjust invasion. They honestly believed in "State Rights," and acted on that belief. They fought to the end, but when they were whipped by overwhelming numbers and resources, they retired peaceably to their homes without any

feeling of dishonor, and determined to be as industrious and as loyal citizens as they had been brave and sacrificing soldiers. In all of my investigations, I have not heard of one of them who, as a soldier, shirked his full duty or flinched from danger. I have arranged their names in alphabetical order. I have worked hard on this chapter, and have been very careful to get these records exactly correct, and I think I have them nearly so. They are not as full and exact as I desired, but I don't think I am blamable for that. Several gentlemen have done much to help me in this work, but others have remained deaf to my pleadings for information.

SOLDIERS OF THE CIVIL WAR.

(1) Carnes, William Minor (See Family 178),. Private in Company C, Ninth Tennessee Regiment, Army of Tennessee. Joined the army when sixteen years old. Was in the battle of Shiloh. Went with General Bragg's army on its famous campaign into Kentucky. Was severely wounded in the leg, and captured in the battle of Perryville 8th October, 1862. Was afterward exchanged at Vicksburg, Miss. On account of his wounded leg he was detailed to do hospital duty the remainder of the war, not being able for field service. Surrendered 26th April, 1865, with General Joseph E. Johnston's army in North Carolina. Now dead. Enlisted from Tipton County, Tenn., where he was in school.

(2) Davis, Rev. Robert Ninian (See Family 59), Private in Company A, (Captain Raglan), Phifer's Arkansas Battalion. Enlisted June, 1861. Later his company was a part of the Second Regiment Arkansas Cavalry. Was in the battles of Fort Donelson and Shiloh, Tenn.; and Guntown, Blackland, Iuka and Corinth, Miss. After that he was with General Forest in all his raids and battles in four States. Was never wounded nor captured. Enlisted from Conway County, Ark. Now living at Dardanelle, Yell County, Ark.

(3) Hamilton, James Brown (See Family 151). Volunteered June, 1861, in Company G, Sixteenth Alabama Infantry, Army of Tennessee. Fought in the following battles: Fishing Creek and Perryville, Ky.; Shiloh and Missionary Ridge, Tenn.; Tunnel Hill and Chickamauga, Ga.; Courtland, Dixon Station and Selma, Ala. Captured at Selma, but escaped

after eight days. In December, 1863, he was transferred to Caper's Artillery. Surrendered by general order June, 1865, at Henson's Springs, Ala. Enlisted from Marion County, Ala. Now living at Anson, Jones County, Texas.

(4) Hamilton, William Dunbar (See Family 151). Private in Company G (Capt. Humbolt Helvingston), Sixteenth Alabama Infantry (Col Wood), M. P. Lowry's Brigade, Hardee's Corps, Army of Tennessee. Served from July, 1861, to May, 1865 Was in many battles, among them the following: Fishing Creek, Ky., Shiloh, Chickamauga and New Hope, Ga. Was wounded twice in the battle of Chickamauga; once in the thigh and once in the foot. Enlisted from Marion County, Ala. Now living at Palmetto, Lee County, Miss.

(The last two were brothers).

(5) Hargraves, Joseph Richard (See Family 115). Mustered into the Confederate service 19th Sept., 1861, at Inka, Miss. Company D (Capt. R. B. Allen), Twenty-third Mississippi Infantry (Col. Joe M. Wells). Was in all the battles in and around Fort Donelson, Tenn., in February, 1862, where he and thousands of others were captured 16th of that month. Was imprisoned in Camp Douglas, Chicago, Ill., where he died of pneumonia 27th May, 1862. A noble man and brave soldier. Enlisted from Kossuth, Tishomingo (now Alcorn) County, Miss.

(6) Holman, John James Andrews (See Family 15) was a Private in the Army of Missouri in the latter part of 1861 and the first half of 1862, first in Capt. John Pott's Company (B) Eleventh Regiment of Cavalry, and later in Capt George Perry's Company of the First Regiment of Cavalry, both Regiments of the Eighth Division. On 20th July, 1862, he enlisted in the Confederate service, probably in the same organizations as last above named. Records show this last enlistment, but not his company or regiment. He was in the battle of Prairie Grove, Ark., and Lone Jack and Elkhorn Tavern, Mo. Was never wounded nor captured. Died in camp 4th December, 1862. Enlisted from Jasper County, Mo.

(7) Kirkland, Joseph Benjamin (See Family 87). Enlisted early in 1863 in a company called the "Hardeman

Avengers," raised by Capt. J. J. Neely. Later he was transferred to Company E, Seventh Tennessee Cavalry (Col. Taylor), Rucker's Brigade, Forest's Cavalry. He was in several battles, among them being Brice's Cross Roads, Harrisburg, West Point—all in Mississippi, and Columbia, Tenn. Was never wounded nor captured. He was paroled 15th May, 1865, at Selma, Ala. Enlisted from Hardeman County, Tenn.

(8) Kirkland, Richard Henry (See Family 87). Volunteered 7th May, 1862, and was in Company F (Capt. Bell), Fourteenth Tennessee Regiment (Col. Green), Rucker's Brigade, Forest's Cavalry. Was in about fifteen battles and skirmishes. Was never wounded nor captured. Enlisted from Hardeman County, Tenn. Now living near Whiteville, that county and state.

(9) Kirkland, John William (See Family 87), was a soldier in the Civil War, but I cannot learn any particulars. Enlisted from Arkansas County., Ark., where he lived.

(The last three were brothers).

(10) Robison, William Cowan (See Number 3). Private in Company C, Forty-eighth North Carolina Infantry, Army of Northern Virginia. Was wounded seriously in battle, but died of pneumonia in Confederate hospital.

(11) Robison, James Franklin (See Family 11), enlisted 13th September, 1861, in Company B, Tenth Regiment Virginia Cavalry, W. H. F. Lee's Brigade, Army of Northern Virginia. Had three horses shot under him. Was in the following and other skirmishes and battles: Martinburg and Harper's Ferry, W. Va., Brandy Station, Gettysburg, Williams Port, and rode with J. E. B. Stewart on his famous ride through Maryland and Pennsylvania. In fights and siege of Petersburg, at Reaves Station and Five Forks, and the surrender at Appomatox 9th April, 1865. Enlisted from Rowan County, N. C. Now living near Salisbury, that state.

(12) Siddall, James (See Family 136). In Company B, 36th Arkansas Infantry, (Col. J. E. Glenn, commanding), Dandridge McRae's Brigade, Churchill's Division: Was in the following battles: Prairie Grove, Mo.; Helena and Jen-

kins' Ferry, Ark., and Pleasant Hill, La. He enlisted from White Co., Ark. Now living near Waxahachie Texas.

(13) Siddall, John Miles (See Family 136). But little is known as to the details of his war record. It is certain that he was in General Sterling Price's army on his last raid into Missouri (in 1864) during which he died of disease. It is thought that he was in Captain Lala's Company. He enlisted from White Co., Ark. "Peace to his ashes."

(The last two were brothers.]

(14) Steele, Dr. Henry Franklin (See Family 42). He was Captain of Company E, Thirty-third Arkansas Infantry, under Generals Hindeman and E. Kirby Smith, in the West Mississippi department. He was in the army from October, 1861, to the close of the war; was in the battles of Prairie Grove and Pleasant Hill, Ark. Served a time as Military Surgeon. Was never captured nor wounded. Enlisted from Clark county, Ark. Now dead.

(15) Steele, James Columbus (See Family 42), entered the Confederate service 7th June, 1861, in Company C, Fourth North Carolina Infantry. In the following month he was assigned to the regimental band as one of its musicians, in which he remained throughout the war. He was absent from the army only forty days during the war. He was not on the firing line, like a regular soldier, but in many battles and skirmishes was exposed to shot and shell, notably so in the battles of Seven Pines, Antietam and Gettysburg. His band sometimes were active on the field of battle as litter bearers, and otherwise attending the wounded. He was in the surrender at Appomottox, 9th April, 1865, and took part in the serenade his band gave General R. E. Lee, 11th April, and remembers that General Lee made a short responsive speech in appreciation of the music. He enlisted from Iredell county, N. C. Now living in Statesville, that county and State.

(16) Steele, Sinclair Preston (See Family 42). At the age of seventeen, in May, 1864, he joined Company A, of the Eighth Battalion North Carolina Junior Reserves, Infantry, which was afterward Company F. of Third Regiment, same troops. He was the Second Lieutenant of his Company, of which James Barnes Ellington, and later, W. G. Watson, Sr.,

were Captains. John W. Hinsdale was Colonel of his Regiment. Was in the battles of Fort Fisher, and Benton, North Carolina, and although his Company was captured at Fort Fisher, he and the two other lieutenants escaped under cover of darkness. Surrendered with Johnston, 26th April, 1865. Enlisted from Iredell county, N. C. Now dead.

(17) Steele, Milas Jackson (See Family 127). Private in Company I, Fourth Regiment Alabama Infantry, McLaws' Brigade, Hood's Division, Army of Northern Virginia. Entered the army early in 1861. Was in the battles of First Manassas, Seven Pines, and Gains' Mill. Slightly wounded at Manassas, and killed in the mill race at the battle of Gains' Mill, near Richmond, Virginia, 27th June, 1862. He was a brave and patriotic young man. Enlisted from Madison Co., Alabama.

(18) Steele, Jackson (See Family 58). In Company I, First Arkansas Mounted Rifles (Col. T. J. Churchill), Ben McCullah's Brigade. Was in several battles and many skirmishes, and was hit by bullets several times but never seriously wounded. The following are some of the battles he fought in: Elkhorn, Ark., Murfreesboro, Tenn., Jackson, Miss., (wounded); Chickamauga, Dry Gap, Resacca, (wounded), Kenesaw Mountain, (wounded), Atlanta, Jonesboro, and Lovejoy, Ga.; Decatur, Columbia, Franklin, Nashville, Tenn., and Bentonville, N. C. Surrendered to W. T. Sherman, in North Carolina, 26th April, 1865. Enlisted from Conway Co., Ark. Now living near Wooster, that County and State.

(19) Steele, Joseph Chambers (See Family 58), In Company A, Seventeenth Regiment Arkansas Infantry. Volunteered 7th October, 1861. In May, 1862, he was transferred to the Twenty-first Arkansas Infantry. He was in the battles of Iuka, Corinth, Port Gibson, Baker's Creek, Black River, and the siege of Vicksburg—all in Mississippi. Later he was in the First Arkansas Cavalry (Col. A. Gordon), with Gen. Sterling Price on his last great raid into Missouri in the Fall of 1864. Was captured first at Vicksburg, and second on the Missouri raid. After Vicksburg he was exchanged, but after the second capture he escaped. Surrendered finally at Jackson Port, Ark., June, 1865. Enlisted from Conway

County, Ark. He is now County Judge of that County and lives near Plumerville, that County and State.

(20) Steele, Maj. Milas (See Family 58). At first he was captain of a company, and when a battalion was formed, of which his company became a part, he was elected Major of the battalion, which was known as Williamson's Arkansas Battalion. At Corinth, Miss., in May, 1862, his health failed so completely that he had to leave the army entirely. In 1864 he rejoined the army in Arkansas, under Gen. Sterling Price, and started with him on his last raid into Missouri, but again he was compelled, on account of sickness, to return home. He enlisted from Conway County, Ark. Now dead.

(The last three were brothers).

(21) Steele, Joseph Robert (See Family 122), entered the army as a private in Company D, Twenty-third Mississippi Infantry, and was mustered into the Confederate service 19th September, 1861, at Iuka, Miss. Was in the siege and all the battles of Fort Donelson in February, 1862, and was captured there on the 16th of that month and in prison at Camp Douglass, Chicago, Ill., for seven months, and exchanged in September, 1862. In the reorganization he was elected First Lieutenant of Company D. Was in the battle of Baker's Creek, Miss., on 16th May, 1862, and on account of severe illness he was taken prisoner next day on the retreat of the army from that position That time he was a prisoner on Johnston's island, Lake Erie for twenty-one months. Was paroled in March, 1865, but the war closed before he could be exchanged. After the war he became a Cumberland Presbyterian minister. Asthma and bronchitis rendering him unable to preach he went to Florida, where he taught school for several years. Later he was Probate Judge of Sumter County, that State, for twelve successive years. He died 17th February, 1900, in Birmingham, Ala. He enlisted from Alcorn (then Tishomingo) County, Miss.

(22) Steele, Milus Jackson (See Family 122), went as one of the sixty-day troops to Bowling Green, Ky., December, 1861 At the end of that time, February, 1862, he enlisted in Company D, Thirty-second Mississippi Infantry. Enlisted before he was 18 years old. He was Second Sergeant and was

in the battles of Perryville, Ky., Murfreesboro, Chickamauga, Missionary Ridge, Ringgold, Resaca, New Hope, Atlanta, and several smaller ones on the Sherman-Johnston Dalton-to-Atlanta campaign. He was slightly wounded at Perryville, 8th October, 1862, severely wounded at New Hope, Ga., 27th May, 1864, and mortally wounded at Franklin, Tenn., 30th November, 1865, while in the act of scaling the last breastworks of the enemy. He received three more wounds after he fell and he died of his wounds 10th December following, and is buried at Franklin. His comrades in arms give him high praise as a noble man and excellent soldier. Enlisted from Alcorn County, Miss.

(23) Steele, William Harvey (See Family 122), enlisted in Company H, Second Mississippi Cavalry, State troops, near close of war, when quite young. He became seriously ill after entering camp and was not able for service any more during the war. Infact, he never really recovered from that illness. After the war he became a minister in the Cumberland Presbyterian church. Died 19th ~~November~~ March, 1885, at Franklin, Tenn., on the hill where his brother (the preceding number) was mortally wounded twenty years before. Enlisted from what is now Alcorn County, Miss.

(The last three were brothers, and also brothers of the writer of this history.)

(24) Steele, Sinclair Ninian (See Family 175), enlisted as one of a Company of boys and men then organizing in his County. Because of the fact that very few men then remained at home, nearly all having already gone to the war, the County officials persuaded the members of this forming Company to remain at home for the protection of the women and children. There was a large number of negroes in that County, and it was thought best for some of the white men to stay at home. Mr. Steele afterwards served the Confederate Government by making gunpowder for it free of charge. He lives in Hale county, Ala.

The following fourteen soldiers of the war of 1861-'65 were not decendants of Capt. Ninian Steele, but married into the family, and doubtless their connection generally, and their

descendants especially, will be glad to have their war records preserved in this family book:

(1) Altman, Bradford Henderson (See Family 166). First a private, then Sergeant, and finally Second Lieutenant. Enlisted in Capt. J. N. Cypert's Company, which became a part of F. W. Desha's Battalion and later, as Company K, was a part of the Eight Regiment, Arkansas Infantry, Cols. John H. Kelley and G. H. Baneum commanding the Regiment in succession. He fought in many battles, some of which were: Shiloh, Perryville, Murfreesboro and Chickamauga. He took an active part in the skirmishes and battles in the Sherman-Johnston campaign from Dalton to Atlanta, Ga., in 1864. Was seriously wounded in the battle of Peachtree Creek, near Atlanta, 22nd July 1864. Was captured later at Jonesboro, Ga., but exchanged in time to go with Hood in his ill-starred campaign into Tennessee. In the battle of Franklin he was very near his Division General, the brave and gallant Pat Cleburne, when the latter was killed on the enemy's breastworks. He served as Captain of his Company for awhile, and was a brave and faithful soldier. Enlisted from White County, Ark. Now dead.

(2) Banks, Rev. David Dickerson (See Family 142). In Company B (Capt. Jeff C. Johnston), Twenty-ninth Arkansas Infantry (Col. Pleasant). Was in the skirmish at Black Creek and battles of Helena, Prairie Grove and Jenkins' Ferry. Was never wounded nor captured. Enlisted in 1862 from White County, Ark., and served to close of war. After the war he became a minister in the M. E. Church, South. Now living at Alto, Tex.

(3) Blalock, Edward Philpot (See Family 89). Early in 1863 he was in the Company called "The Hardeman Avengers," of Hardeman County, Tenn., raised by Capt. J. J. Neely. He was transferred to Company E, Seventh Regiment Tennessee Cavalry (Col. Taylor), Rucker's Brigade, Forrest's Cavalry. He was in several battles and was paroled 15th May, 1865, at Selma, Ala. Enlisted from Hardeman County, Tenn. Now dead.

(4) Dean, William Henry (See Family 175), entered service of Confederacy 17th June, 1861, at Asheville, Ala., in

Cmpany A (Capt. John H. Caldwell), Tenth Alabama Infantry (Col. John H. Forney.) Was in the Army of Northern Virginia. Fought in the following battles: First Battle of Drainsville, Williamsburg, Seven Pines, seven day's fighting around Richmond, Second Battle of Manassas, Sharpsburg and Salem Church. Wounded at Second Manassas and at Sharpsburg. Captured on retreat from Gettysburg and kept in prison at Fort Delaware till March 1865. Enlisted from St. Clair County, Ala. Now living in Jacksonville, that State.

(5) Hendrix, Charles Duvall (See Family 61), private in Company I (Capt. Wood), Eleventh Georgia Regiment of Infantry (Col. Little), Longstreet's Division, Army of Northern Virginia. Was in the following battles: Second Manassas, Fredericksburg, Seven Pines, Seven Days' fighting near Richmond, Chickamauga and Siege of Petersburg. Surrendered at Appomattox 9th April, 1865. Was a soldier three and one-half years. Enlisted from Walker County, Ga. Now living near Carrollton, Ark.

(6) Hix, Richard Daniel (See Family 50), joined the army in 1862. Was in Company B, Forty-eighth North Carolina Infantry, Cook's Brigade, Heath's Corps, Army of Northern Virginia. Was in the following battles, and probably more: The Wilderness, Fredericksburg and Petersburg. Wounded at Fredericksburg. Served till the close of the war. Now dead.

Hogan, Andrew Jackson (See Family 82). In Company B (Capt. L. Sleeper), First Regiment Arkansas Cavalry (Col A. Gordon), Samuel W. L. Cabel's Brigade. Volunteered in May, 1962, and served until the Spring of 1865. He was in the following battles: Cove Creek, Pine Bluff, Poison Spring and Mark's Mill, Ark.; Pilot Knob, Franklin, Jefferson City, Big Blue Bottle, Nentonia and Neoshe, Mo. Never wounded nor captured. Enlisted from Conway County, Ark. Now living at Bellville, that County and State.

(8) Martin, Robert Marion (See Family 119). Fifth Sergeant in Company D, Twenty-third Mississippi Regiment of Infantry, (Col. Joe M. Wells.) Mustered into service at Iuka, Miss., 19th September, 1861. Was in the battles and seige at Fort Donelson, where he was captured, 16th Febru-

ary, 1862, and for seven months kept a prisoner in Camp Douglass, Chicago, Illinois. Exchanged at Vicksburg, 17th September, 1862. Was in the battles of Coffeeville, Baker's Creek and Jackson, Miss., and later was in all the battles of the Johnston Sherman campaign, from Dalton to Atlanta. Then with Hood at Franklin and Nashville, in 1864, and with Johnston in North Carolina, in March, 1865. Surrendered with Johnston, 25th April, 1865, at Greensboro, N. C. Enlisted from Tishomingo (now Alcorn) County, Miss. Lives near Kossuth, that County and State.

(9) McAnulty, John William (See Family 116). Second Sergeant in Company D, Twenty-third Mississippi Infantry, (Colonel, Joe M. Wells.) Was mustered into the Confederate States' service 19th September, 1861, and paroled 3rd of May, 1865. Was in the battles and seige of Fort Donelson and was captured there 16th February, 1862, and kept a prisoner at Camp Douglass, Chicago, Ill., for seven months, when he was exchanged 17th September, that year. On account of illness he became separated from his command in May 1862, in Mississippi, and to escape capture there he was compelled to enter Vicksburg. Consequently he was in the seige of Vicksburg, and surrendered with the army, 4th July, 1863. Exchanged in October, 1864, and was in the battles of Franklin, and Nashville, Tenn., 1864, and Kingston, and Bentonville, N. C., March, 1865. Surrendered with Johnston, 26th April, 1865, and formally paroled 3rd May following. Enlisted from Alcorn (then Tishomingo) County, Miss. Lives near Kossuth, that County and State.

(10) McCravey, Leroy Wesley (See Family 132). In August, 1861, he joined Company F, of Kelley's Troopers, Forrest's Battalion, and afterwards Forrest's Regiment. Was with Forrest on his Kentucky raid, and in the battles and seige of Fort Donelson, escaping with Forrest from that place. Later he was First Lieutenant in Company F, (Capt. O. B. Gaston's company) Fourth Alabama Calvary Regiment (Col. A. A. Russell). Was with Forrest in his famous West Tennessee raid. Being on detached duty in Madison County, Alabama, in the fall of 1863, he was captured there and kept a prisoner the remainder of the war, in Camp Chase and on Johnston's Island. Never wounded. Enlisted from Madison

County, Alabama. Now living in Huntsville, that county and State.

(11) McCutcheon, Rev. John F. (See Family 87), Captain of the first Company raised at Manchester, Tenn., Twenty-fourth Tennessee Infanty Regiment. Later he was Chaplain of that regiment until the close of the war. Enlisted from Coffee county, Tenn. Before and after the war he was a Cumberland Presbyterian minister. Now dead.

(12) McKnight, Moses Alexander (See Family 26), joined Company A, First Missouri Cavalry, State troops, June, 1861, and was in the battle of Wilson's Creek. Later he was in Company A, Eleventh Missouri Infantry, and was discharged 4th June, 1865, at Shreveport, La. Never was captured nor wounded. Enlisted from Mo. Now living in Los Angeles.

(13) Miller, William Asbury (See Family 151). In Company K (Capt. Powers and later Capt. Bankhead) Sixteenth Alabama Regiment Infantry (Col. W. B. Wood), Brigade commanded by Gen. S. A. M. Wood and later by Gen. Mark P. Lowry, Hardee's Corps. Was in nearly all the battles fought by the Army of Tennessee. Was never wounded nor captured. Enlisted from Marion county, Ala. Now dead.

(14) Swann, Paley Wilson (See Family 48). In Company C, Fourth North Carolina Infantry, Jackson Corps, Army of Northern Virginia. Was in two battles; Chancellorsville and First Fredericksburg. Was wounded 3rd May, 1863, in the battle of Chancellorsville and after that served on light duty at Henderson, N. C., till the end of the war. Enlisted from Iredell County, N. C. Now living at Cool Spring, that State.

SPANISH-AMERICAN WAR OF 1898.

In our war with Spain in 1898 there was no necessity for many soldiers from each State, and there were no real "defend the flag" or "fight for your firesides" arguments to stir the people to war. So far as I know only two of our large family were soldiers in that war. I name them below:

(1) Morton, Benjamin Alexander (See Family 76). In Company D, First Arkansas Infantry. Enlisted 23rd April,

1898, later transferred to Company C. Was mustered out as First Sergeant 25th October, 1898. Re-enlisted 18th January, 1899, in Company M, Sixth Regiment, U. S. Infantry, and went to the war in the Philippine Islands. Wounded 17th August, 1899 in battle on Island of Negros, in the hand which had to be amputated. Honorably discharged as Sergeant, 8th October, same year, at Bacolod, Philippine Islands, because loss of hand.

(2) Steele, Hugh Montgomery (See Family 80). Private in Battery E, Third Regiment of Artillery. Enlisted in San Francisco 25th June, 1898, to serve three years. Was in camp at Fort Point, Fort Mason, the Presidio and Alchitraz, all near San Francisco, Cal. Was never called into active service. After the war was over he was at his own request honorably discharged from the service.

NEWTON CHAMBERS STEELE.

(AUTOBIOGRAPHY.)

Laying aside editorial formality and "false modesty," I will write in the first person singular number. I am the fourth son of Mary Ann Steele and John Newton Steele (See Family 122) and was born on Thursday, 20th September, 1849, in Limestone County, Ala., two and a half miles southeast of what is now Elkmont, and seven miles north of Athens. Both of these towns are on the Louisville & Nashville Railroad, from Nashville, Tenn., to Decatur, Ala. This road was built in 1858, and Elkmont came with the opening of this road, which was after we moved to Mississippi.

I was born in the house my grandfather, Robert Steele, built in August, 1818, and which is still standing.

I remember a few incidents only of my life in Alabama. One is that it was in one of the small perennial streams of Limestone County that I had my first experience in fishing with a real fish-book. I did not catch any fish, but I lost my hook. A large boy named Smith took it from me by superior "muscle." We called the stream I fished in the "Tanyard Branch" because it ran through father's tan-yard and supplied it with water. Father had taken me with him to the tan-yard that day and I suppose he gave me the hook to amuse myself with and incidentally to keep me out of his way while he worked.

Another Incident.—One day I went with "Elic," a colored boy who belonged to father and who was several years older than myself, to pick cotton near an old orchard. Some neighbor boys who came to get apples asked Elic my name, and he said it was "Pewter." The boys laughed and I felt cheap. Why he called me "Pewter" I do not know. Perhaps he thought I was too "soft" to be called Steel(e).

Again.—I was a very awkward boy and I tumbled out of wagons and off of horses every chance I got, and that was often. One day I fell out of a standing wagon and hurt my left arm badly. A day or two after my hurt and while my arm was still in a sling, Brother William and I went to a field where some men were plowing. I saw a black dog quite a

distance away and he began barking at us vigorously. This scared me badly, and in order to get out of dog danger we had to climb over a high rail fence. William got over quickly, but the top rail turned with me and I fell off backward—on the wrong side, of course. I was then worse scared than ever, but I got over that fence in short order. You see, that dog was still barking and I just had to get over the fence, and what a fellow *has* to do he usually does!

When safely on the other side of the fence I took time to look back through my tears and a crack of the fence, and saw the dog standing just where I first saw him. I don't suppose that he ever had the slightest intention of molesting us.

It is often so in life; we get scared by mere noise when there is but little, if any danger.

Not long after that I had another scare by a dog. I came suddenly upon a stray dog asleep in the orchard, and the way I made tracks down the narrow path through the tall weeds may be imagined. It was ludicrous then no doubt, and it may seem funny now, but at that particular time it was a serious affair with me. In my head-long run to escape the strange dog I fell full length in the path. I did not have to be told to get up, but I got up, and that in a hurry. I suppose the innocent dog slept on, perhaps dreaming of happy hunting days to come.

I was not more than four or five years old at that time and had not become as well acquainted with dogs as I did a few years later; had not made them my "bosom friends," so to speak.

Well, I fear that all of this seems rather silly to many of you, especially if you are so old that you have forgotten your "dog-days"—but I expect some "small boys" will read this book, and I know that boys like dog-tales, even poor ones like these.

These stories, however, are tame compared to those I could tell as having happened during the wonderful boy-and-dog times that "we boys" had in Mississippi with old Watch and Tige of blessed memory! We had great fun hunting rats, cats, rabbits, coons 'possums and squirrels, but I must not tell any more dog stories here. Those wanting more and richer stories of various kinds, please consult my new story

book, "Our George and the Old Farm," which unfortunately has not yet been written.

In the autumn of 1854 we removed to Mississippi. Father's nephew, David Gibson Montgomery, went with us. I remember that mother, myself and my youngest brother, then the baby, rode in the old heavy family carriage. Father or cousin Gibson usually drove the carriage. One day we came near having a serious accident, caused by the carriage running backward down a hill. Young Montgomery saved us by catching the carriage with his shoulder, he being a young man of great physical strength. I distinctly remember crossing the Tennessee river at East Port and how I peered into the river hoping to see a fish.

We drove our "stock hogs" with us all the way to Mississippi, one hundred and thirty miles, and kept them up for several months. They were then turned out. Soon afterward two of the older hogs were missing. In a short time a letter came from the old home in Alabama stating that one of our hogs had just gotten back there. He was known by father's peculiar mark. A man bought the hog and sent father the money for him. This hog, after months of confinement, had found its way back, one hundred and thirty miles, to the old home in Alabama. He had to cross the Tennessee river on his way there. How he crossed the river and what became of his traveling companion are questions I cannot answer.

On reaching Mississippi we settled in what was then Tishomingo county. Father had bought the "David Cogsdell place," which was half a mile west of Tuscumbia river. Jacinto, sixteen miles away, was then the county town. Our postoffice was Kossuth, a small "cross-roads" town four miles west. Corinth, five miles east of us, was founded about the time we moved to the State. It soon became the chief trading point of the county, and after about 1868 was the capital of our county, which was then given the name of Alcorn. It was a part of old Tishomingo county, which had been subdivided. Corinth is at the crossing of the Memphis & Charleston and Mobile & Ohio railroads, both of which were built soon after we reached the State. I don't mean to intimate that we had any influence in founding the town of Corinth, or in building these railroads. A chronological coincidence only.

My boyhood days were in a general way about like those of many other sons of farmers. My father had a strong and abiding belief in work and much of it. He believed that work was good for boys and that boys were good for work, and he put this belief into real live practice. Hence, I and my four brothers had abundant opportunity for physical exercise. We did not need an artificial gymnasium like city boys now need and have. We were taught by personal experience to do all kinds of farm work. We cleared ground, dug ditches, split rails, made brick, built fences and "raised" houses. Building a house of logs was often called "house raising."

In addition to farming we had a small tan-yard and we learned the whole process of leather-making from beginning to finishing. On the farm we raised wheat, oats, potatoes, corn and cotton, and many kinds of fruits and vegetables. Father believed in raising on the farm everything we needed, and as a rule what we did not produce on the farm we did not have or use, except such things as sugar, coffee, salt, etc. I still believe that policy is a good one for the ordinary farmer to practice.

We boys did a great amount of hard work, but we had a corresponding amount of jolly good times and good health. I could write a book full of farm fun and frolic.

Father owned a dozen negro slaves, and among them were several boys: Elic, George, John, Scott and Jim. We five white boys and the five negro boys of almost corresponding ages worked and played side by side for years. Of course there were the sharp lines of distinction drawn in eating, drinking, sleeping, and in what is known as social life.

The negroes all understood these lines of distinction and never seemed to think of breaking over any of them, and as far as I remember never considered them hardships. They did not attend church with us, but were free to go to church. They were not sent to school, but most of them were taught to read. One of our negro boys, George, although not considered any too "bright" was pretty good at "figuring with his head." I remember that when I was quite small George used to give me lessons in "counting," as he called it. He was several years older than I. We "boys," white and black, had more fun at the expense of George than of all the others put together and for twenty years George has served as the "hero

center" around which I have spun stories to amuse my own children.

In 1859 my father sold the "Cogsdell place," having fully determined to move to Texas or Arkansas. He went to those States that fall, traveling on horseback looking for a new home, and actually bargained for one in Hempstead County, Ark. He concluded to remain in Mississippi another year, as he could not get immediate possession of the place in Arkansas, even if the trade should be completed. He rented a place twelve miles south of our old home and near Rienzi, and we lived there during 1860. This was the year of the exciting presidential campaign which resulted in Lincoln's election and a division of the country and a foolish, terrible and fraticidal war. I was a boy of ten and remember distinctly about that election; but I do not remember so much about politics as I do about the great numbers of wild pigeons that flocked over the country. The air was often filled with them, thousands and hundreds of thousands being visible sometimes. All that Fall and winter (1859-60) the country literally swarmed with them. Where this innumerable multitude of pigeons came from I have never been able to ascertain, and why they left us and where they went is as mysterious as their coming.

The trade for the Arkansas farm fell through and father bought the "William Kerr" farm on "Prairie Branch," three miles north of Kossuth, and eight and one-half miles west of Corinth, Miss., to which we moved in the Autumn of 1860. This farm lies on both sides of the little creek called "Prairie Branch," which rises among the low hills a mile or two to the west. The land was very fertile, and a part of it was genuine original prairie lands, and we boys were proud of that. Again Kossuth became our postoffice town. It boasted of two stores, the postoffice, a school house, two churches, a blacksmith shop and a small plow foundry. Our nearest town (?) was "Boneyard" one mile west of our house. It consisted of a carding factory run by a "tread wheel," with two oxen as the motor power, a blacksmith shop, and a saddle and harness shop. In its palmy days it had had a store, but that was before the days of railroads.

I was at that time eleven years old. I had already attended the neighborhood "subscription schools" off and on

since I was six or seven years old. There were no free schools in the South then, but I may add, parenthetically, that there were more high grade schools in the South at that time in proportion to population, than in any other portion of the United States. No such school for boys was then in our community, I am sorry to say.

My first school teacher at our new home was James L. McLean, who is now living in that neighborhood.

The next year the war came on, and my teacher and my elder brothers, Joseph Robert and Milus Jackson, joined the Confederate army. Then for four years we experienced the suspense, horrors and uncertainties of war.

First came the excitement of organizing, equipping and drilling the companies raised in our neighborhood, with all the confusion and interruptions to social, educational and business life involved. Next the massing of the Confederate army at Corinth early in 1862, and the great battle of Shiloh on the 5th and 6th of April, that year, which we heard distinctly. After that battle until the army left Corinth, the last of May, there was a vast amount of sickness among the Confederate soldiers, and almost every farm and village home for twelve miles west and south of Corinth, was a private hospital for sick soldiers. Our house was full of them for weeks. We boys enjoyed all that very much.

When the Confederate army left Corinth the Federal army of course became masters of that region.

Father took his negroes and nearly all of his horses and mules to South Alabama, where he kept them until near the close of the war. The Federal army took everything that was in sight, and much that was not in sight.

I distinctly remember the battle of Corinth on the 3d and 4th of October, 1862, when Van Dorn and Price tried by direct assault to retake the town, which was thoroughly fortified and garrisoned. Although eight miles from our home the terrible cannonading shook our house like an earthquake. One door was shaken open and the windows rattled as if the glass would be shaken out. There were Federal pickets in our orchard that day, and my mother, although very feeble, was forced to cook dinner for them, the soldiers riding through the gate right up to the door to make their demands. I had to take them their dinner. They were very nervous as the

cannon at Corinth boomed and roared and I thoroughly enjoyed their trepidation. They were unnecessarily alarmed however for the Confederates were repulsed, and for us times were darker than ever.

How our mother and her five children lived through that dark period it would be hard to tell. We had some bacon hid away in the attic and we made meal by rubbing ears of corn on a coarse grater which was made of an old piece of tin by punching holes through it with a nail. As I now remember we boys were not much troubled in mind or body. Cares sit lightly on the shoulders of youth.

During the war I went to school at different times to two lady teachers. Right here I will give in chronological order as best I can remember the names of all the teachers to whom I went to school; Mr. Buchanan, Rev. F. M. Moses, Lemuel Murdaugh, William H. Cogsdell, Hartwell Briggs, Mrs. Smith, James L. McEean, Miss Marietta Hill, Miss Mary Porter, Elijah T. Nicholson and Mr. Johnston.

I had my full share of innocent school-boy fun, and I fear that I loved to play marbles, fox-and-hounds, "bull-pen" and town-ball, better than to study. I was just an ordinary rough-and-tumble school-boy with a good many angularities of body and disposition, but somehow I never gave my teachers much trouble and never got a straight-out whipping at school in my life. I don't remember that any of my teachers ever complimented me but once and that was when one of them told my father that he always dreaded to see me coming to him with a problem in arithmetic, for he knew by experience that it probably would be a difficult one that I would bring him to solve.

When finally the black, desolating cloud of war rolled away we found ourselves all alive and at home again—all except one. My second brother, Milus Jackson, the favorite of the family, had fallen mortally wounded on the battlefield of Franklin, Tenn., 30th Nov., 1864, while in the act of leaping over the parapet of the enemy's last line of works. We missed him long and sorely. With the vivid imagination and strong hope of youth I could not for years rid myself of the thought that he would come home some day, although I knew that was impossible. Today my eyes fill with tears as I write of those dark times and terrible experiences thirty-five years

ago, and especially of his sad fate.

Coming back to the farm again, we went to work with renewed energy to repair our "broken fortunes," and to try to be and do something in the world. We rebuilt the burnt and neglected fences, reopened the old ditches and dug new ones, and soon had the old farm in pretty good condition again.

I made a full hand on the farm from the time I was six years old until I was twenty-one, and I never missed but one full summer's work in all that time. After the war, just as before it, I went to school during the winter, and sometimes after crops were "laid by," and one year I went all summer, which was something unusual on our farm. I never attended a literary college. Father offered to give me a complete college course, but as my health at that time was much impaired, I thought it best not to go away from home to school. He managed to send all of his other children to college. I now think that I made a mistake in declining to go, even under the circumstances. I have tried to make amends for this lack of college training by "picking up" all the education I could along the wayside of a busy life.

When, as a boy eight years old, I "ran up against" the multiplication table, I thought it was the greatest problem that I would meet in life. But I soon mastered that. I remember distinctly that when I had mastered the multiplication table a new problem more serious than it at once confronted me, and that was the problem of personal religion. I made more or less serious attempts all along through my youth to be religious, and to "get religion," as expressed in those days. At a great "revival" of religion, conducted by a Methodist circuit rider, Rev. Jas. W. Honnoll, at old Pleasant Valley Church, I made a public profession of religion. That was on the night of the 24th of September, 1867, and on the 13th of October following, I and my brothers, Joseph Robert, and William Harvey, united with the Shiloh congregation of the C. P. Church, Rev. Robert B. Wear, minister in charge. The church house was in one quarter of a mile of our home.

On the 20th of September, 1870, the day I was twenty-one, I began to "read medicine" in the office of Dr. J. M. Taylor, of Corinth, the most accomplished physician in that part of the State.

During the winter of 1871-2, I attended the medical de-

partment of the University of Louisville, at Louisville, Ky. The next summer (1872) I continued my studies with Dr. Taylor, and that winter I attended "lectures" at the medical department of the University of Nashville, at Nashville, Tenn., from which school I graduated the 26th of February, 1873. I may be pardoned for saying that I had the good fortuue of winning more prizes than any other member of my class, and stood the highest in my class on surgery. The next month, March, I opened an office in my father's house on the old farm, and at once began to get a good share of the neighborhood practice.

I rather wanted to go to Memphis, Tenn., but father and mother were then alone. All the other children were away from home, some of them being at school, and they very much desired me to remain at home with them. I concluded to do so, at least to remain near them for a time.

On the 15th of July, 1873, I moved my office to Kossuth, our little postoffice town. There I boarded with old Mr. William C. Simmons. I had a good patronage and was fairly successful.

I concluded that if I must remain there indefinitely and practice medicine, it would not be well to live alone, so on the 23rd Feb., 1875, I married Miss Frances Ellen Jones, a daughter of John and Mary Ann (Dilworth) Jones who lived just two miles south of Kossuth. She was just twenty years old, and was a beautiful, lovely and popular young lady.

An experience of twenty-five years has proven that I was fortunate in choosing a wife, for, increasingly as the years have gone by, she has by her kindly spirit, patience and unselfishness, and by her untiring, loving interest in our home-life, proven her sterling worth as woman, wife and mother. We were married by her pastor, Rev. Daniel W. Babb, a minister of the M. E. Church, South.

I did well enough at Kossuth but I wanted to do better, which is always praiseworthy. Seeking to carry out this purpose I, on the 13th of May, 1880, moved to Corinth, same county, and very soon entered on a good practice, having fortunately stepped into the professional shoes of a physician and friend who gave up his practice there on account of his health.

Up to this time my wife had remained a member of the

Methodist church, but at Corinth we both joined the C. P. church and I was at once elected ruling elder in that congregation, and entered actively into church and Sunday school work.

I had always been a total abstainer from intoxicants and a temperance advocate, and for years I had been a prohibitionist. At Corinth, circumstances and my natural inclination soon pushed me willingly forward as a leader in a red-hot anti-saloon fight, which resulted, in 1884, in putting every saloon out of the town never to return. At least, Corinth has never had a saloon since and it is one of the most prosperous towns in that State. Prohibition did not kill Corinth.

I had an excellent and pleasant practice at Corinth and a large circle of devoted friends, but I was never quite satisfied with the general practice of medicine.

For years I had had a liking for Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat work. In April 1886, I went to London, England, to study these specialties, starting April 12th and reaching London the 26th of that month. I studied in the Royal Ophthalmic Hospital and in the Golden Square Throat Hospital. On returning home I decided to abandon the general practice, and also that it would suit me better to practice my specialties in a larger place than Corinth. On the 27th of October, that year, (1886), I removed to Chattanooga, Tenn., where I have lived ever since. In Chattanooga I have enjoyed an excellent and increasing patronage.

I am a member of the Chattanooga Medical Society, the Tennessee State Medical Society, and the American Medical Association.

In 1889 I was elected to a chair in the Chattanooga Medical College, and now am Professor of Diseases of the Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat in that school, and am also Ophthalmologist to the Baroness Erlanger Hospital of this city.

In 1886, soon after reaching Chattanooga, my wife, myself and daughter, joined by letter, the Cumberland Presbyterian church in this city, of which I was elected a ruling elder about the time I became a member. I have had the honor of being the Superintendent of its Sunday school several years at different times, and for four years the President of the Chattanooga Young Men's Christian Association. My regret is that

I have not been a more progressive physician, useful citizen, and active Christian.

We have one daughter, Mary Irene, who is the wife of William Dupree Carswell, a lawyer of this city. They have one child, Edward Steele, born 2nd January, 1899.

Our only son is Willard Hugo, born 11th December, 1884. He is named Willard for Miss Frances E. Willard, the greatest temperance and general reform leader of the nineteenth century.

I have written this little sketch partly through personal vanity, partly for the benefit of the readers of this book who may wish to know more of me, and partly for the pleasure it may give to my posterity in the years to come.

Loveman Building, Chattanooga, Tenn.,
Sept. 20th, 1900.

(The foregoing autobiography is copied from a book published last year, and the date of it was my fiftieth birth-day. It is re-published here for the reasons given in the last paragraph, and also because the printer thought it was needed to relieve the "thinness" of this volume. The preceding and the following personal sketches are paid for by those directly interested, hence the other subscribers are not taxed with the cost.)

REV. ISAAC DONNELL STEELE.

Rev. Isaac Donnell Steele is the fifth and youngest son of Mary Ann Steele, and Maj. John Newton Steele. (See Family 122) He was born 26th Oct., 1852, near Elkmont, Limestone county, Alabama. When two years old he went with his father's family to Alcorn county, Mississippi.

He grew up on the farm as did his brothers, and with them shared the arduous labors of real old-time farm-life. He got as much wholesome fun and healthful enjoyment out of his life on the farm as any of us and perhaps a little more. He was a natural mimic and had full scope on the farm for the exercise of that talent.

When just a stripling of a boy he showed unusual talent as a public speaker. He and I used to attend the old fashioned debating societies held in the old log school houses in our community, and I remember distinctly that some of our neighbors were surprised that "Donnell Steele could speak so well." Other speakers may have shown more logic, history, or philosophy in their speeches than he, but what he said was told with such earnestness, confidence and torrential eloquence for a boy that it had great effect on his hearers.

He attended the common subscription schools of the community before and after the war.

He publicly professed religion during a Methodist revival meeting held at old Pleasant Valley Church, near Kossuth, Alcorn County, Miss., in September, 1867, and joined the Cumberland Presbyterian church, the next year.

He was a student in the University of Mississippi in the winter of 1872-3. In September, 1873, he entered Cooper Institute near Meridian, Mississippi, and remained in that school until June, 1877, except one year which was spent on the farm. He took the degree of B. S. at Cooper Institute in 1877, and A. B. in 1878. That school conferred on him the degree of A. M. in 1880.

He joined Bell Presbytery, Mississippi Synod of the Cumberland Presbyterian denomination 4th of September, 1875, having become fully and clearly impressed that it was his duty to become a minister of the Gospel. He preached his first sermon 4th October, 1875, and transferred his Presby-

terial membership to New Hope Presbytery of the Mississippi Synod, in November of that year. In July, 1876, he was licensed to preach by the New Hope Presbytery, and by the same Presbytery ordained to the full work of the ministry on the 7th of November, 1877.

He entered the Theological Seminary at Lebanon, Tenn., in September, 1878, and was graduated B. D. from that institution in June, 1880.

He has been pastor of Cumberland Presbyterian churches in the following places: Greeneville, Tenn., Corinth, Miss., Jackson, Tenn., and the First Church of Nashville, Tenn., and is now pastor of the First Cumberland Presbyterian Church in Birmingham, Ala. He is a pleasing popular and effective speaker and a successful pastor.

For several years he was president of the Board of Education of his denomination.

He has been a member of several General Assemblies of his church, and was a delegate to the Pan-Presbyterian Alliance at its meeting in London, England, in 1888. While abroad he visited Paris and Rome, thus gratifying a long cherished desire.

He has written a number of excellent articles for religious journals, and his brochure on the Book of Daniel is a clear, logical and strong argument from the usual orthodox standpoint as to its authenticity and date of composition.

On December 19th, 1883, he was married to Miss Anna Borah, daughter of Rev, J. T. Borah, of Mississippi. Mr. Borah was a minister in the Cumberland Presbyterian church.

His wife is woman of liberal education and varied accomplishments, and has marked literary tastes and ability.

They have no living children, their only children (two sons) having died in early infancy.

N. C. S.

ARCHIBALD STEELE OF SOUTH CAROLINA.

In a genealogical volume published last year (1900) entitled "Archibald Steele and His Descendants," I gave the history of Archibald Steele and the genealogy of his descendants. He was my paternal great-grand-father.

Archibald Steele was born in Scotland or England about 1728. He went to Ireland and there married a woman of Scotch ancestry whose name was probably Agnes Edwards. She was born in Dublin Ireland 1720. They came to America in 1766, settling first in Lancaster county, Pa., and finally (1772) on Fishing Creek, York county, South Carolina.

They had five children, all sons, whose names were John, Joseph, William, James, and Robert. Four of them were soldiers under General Francis Marion in the Revolutionary War, Joseph being the captain of a company. Robert was refused enlistment as a soldier, and sent home, on account of his youth, being then only fourteen years old. I will mention each separately.

(1) John, b. about 1758, in Ireland; d. 1808, in York County, S. C. His seven children were: Archibald, Robert, William, John, Hugh, James, and Jane.

(2) Captain Joseph, b. about 1760, in Ireland; d. 28th August, 1795, in York County, S. C.; married Rebecca Anderson. Their six children were: John, William, Archibald, Samuel, Jane, and Alexander.

(3) William, b. about 1762, in Ireland; d. 20th Nov., 1806, in York County, S. C. He married Margaret Johnston, and their two children were Joseph, and Samuel Johnston.

(4) James, b. about 1865, probably in Ireland, but possibly in America; d. 6th October, 1811, in York County, S. C. He married Mary Workman, and their four chlldren were: Joseph, Lavinia, Annie, and Margaret.

(5) Robert, b. 7th Sept., 1767, in Lancaster County, Pa.; moved to York County, S. C., in 1772, and to Limestone Co., Ala., in 1817, where he died 9th Jan., 1852, and is buried in the old New Garden Church Cemetery, near Elkmont, that County. In York County, S. C., he married, 1796, Miss Martha Starr, who was born 6th March, 1773, and died 20th Sept., 1854. Their seven children were: Mary, Rev. Archibald Jackson, Dorcas, Martha Stuart, John Newton, and Anna Jane.

John Newton, son of Robert Steele, married Miss Mary Ann Steele, who is number 255 in this book. They were the parents of the writer of this book. (See Family 122).

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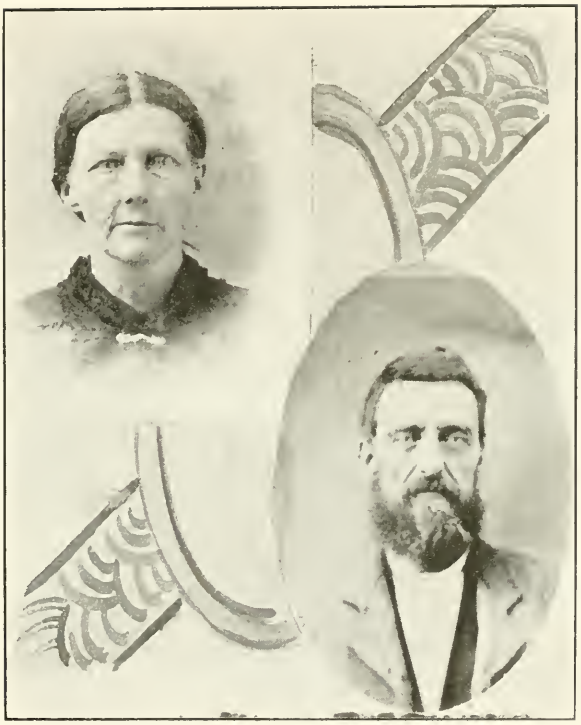

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